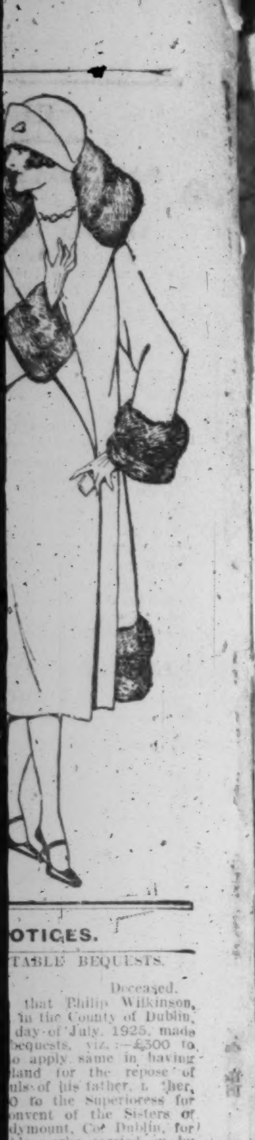

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BIRTHS.

ARMSTRONG—November 1, 1925, at Cash House, Sligo, to Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Armstrong, a daughter.

WILSON—October 31, 1925, at Park View House, Annesley Bridge road, Fairview, the wife of Richard Wilson, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

FLEMING and MARSLAND—October 21, 1925, at Centenary Church, St. Stephen's Green, by the Rev. W. J. Oliver, Robert Collier Fleming, son of Mrs. H. Fleming, of Vavasour square, Dublin, to Theresa Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mortimer Marsland, 17 Molesworth street, Dublin.

MURPHY and BOORMAN—October 21, 1925, at Camberley Wesleyan Church, by the Rev. S. B. Gregory, Howard Pelissier Murphy, youngest son of the late Mr. La Couse Murphy, of Rathmines, to Dorothy, youngest daughter of Mr. James Boorman, of Camberley, England.

STIRLING and LEONARD—October 12, 1925, at Blackrock, Dublin, by Very Rev. W. Canon Healy, P.P., Kilglass, County Sligo (uncle of the bride), assisted by Rev. Father O'Gorman, C.C., Blackrock, James Mailer Stirling, Chartered Accountant, to Mary (Cissie), daughter of late Edward Leonard and Mrs. Leonard, Chapelhill, Beltra, County Sligo.

SYKES and MULLIGAN—October 29, 1925, at St. Anne's Cathedral, Leeds, by the Rev. Father Marty, Frank V. Sykes, Ashmounie, Slaithwaite, Huddersfield, to Sarah Teresa Milligan, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mulligan, Bayview avenue, Dublin.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this column will be found on Page 6.

BURTCHAELL—October 31, 1925, at 44 Morehampton road, Dublin, Mary Isabella, second daughter of the late Peter Burtchaell, of Larchfield, Kilkenny. Funeral private.

CORCORAN—November 1, 1925, at Derrycloney House, Mountmellick, Margaret, beloved wife of John Corcoran. Deeply regretted by her sorrowing husband and children. R.I.P. Office and High Mass at St. Joseph's Parish Church, Mountmellick, this (Tuesday) morning at 11 o'clock. Funeral at 2 p.m. to Rosenallis.

CREIGHTON—November 2, 1925, at Switzer's Home, Kilkenny, Hannah, youngest daughter of the late Richard Hughes, of Kilkenny.

HAMPTON—November 2, 1925, at 5 Adelaide street, Kingstown, Mary, widow of late Samuel Hampton, aged 80 years. "Peace, perfect peace." Funeral private.

HOWE—November 1, 1925, at Special Surgical Hospital, Blackrock, Edward S. Howe, fifth son of the late John Howe, of Wheatfield, Straffan. Deeply regretted by his wife, children, brothers, and sisters. R.I.P. Funeral private.

HUME—November 1, 1925, at a Nursing Home in Dublin, Margaret, aged 88, eldest daughter of the late Andrew Wilson Hume, M.D.

McDERMOTT—November 1, 1925, Rev. Thomas J. McDermott, O.C.C., aged 55. Requiem Office and Mass in the Carmelite Church, Whitefriar street, this (Tuesday) morning at 11 o'clock. Funeral to Glasnevin.

MACKLIN—November 2, 1925, at his residence, 6 Belgrave road, Rathmines, Thomas Francis Macklin. Funeral private. No flowers.

MACNAMARA—October 30, 1925, suddenly, at Wembley, Henry V. Macnamara, of Ennistymon House, Doolen, County Clare, and 11 Hornton street, London, beloved husband of Edith Macnamara. Funeral to-day (Tuesday).

MORTON—November 2, 1925, at her residence, 9 Neville road, Rathgar, Elizabeth, dearly-loved wife of Thomas Morton. Funeral to-morrow (Wednesday) morning, 9.30, for Mount Jerome.

PERCIVAL—October 29, 1925, at Durban, South Africa, Erskine Hercules, eldest surviving son of the late John Percival, of this city.

SCALLY—November 1, 1925, at a Nursing Home, Dublin, Robert George (Bob), youngest son of Christopher and the late Mrs. Scally, Gaddrynstown, Slanemore. R.I.P. Office and High Mass at 11 o'clock this (Tuesday) morning, Sonna Chapel. Funeral same day at 2 o'clock for Kilmacnevin.

MONTH'S MEMORY OFFICE AND HIGH MASS.

O'KEEFFE—Month's Memory Office and High Mass for the repose of the soul of the late Very Rev. Joseph Canon O'Keeffe, P.P., Rathfarnham, at 11 a.m. to-morrow (Wednesday), 4th November, at the Church of the Annunciation, Rathfarnham. R.I.P.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

The wife, parents, brothers, and sisters of the late **Thomas Birmingham** desire to express their sincere gratitude to their numerous friends who sympathised with them in their bereavement.

Mrs. White and family desire to return thanks to all friends for kind expressions of sympathy in their sad bereavement.—Derrylea, Monasterevan.

IN MEMORIAM.

CHAMBERS—In loving memory of our darling little son, Kevin, who died 3rd November, 1924, aged 4 years and 4 months.
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And let him henceforth be
A messenger of love between
Our human hearts and Thee."
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FLEMING—In loving memory of our darling mother, Julia Adelaide Fleming, who died, loving and trusting her Saviour, November 3rd, 1924.—"Lily," "Gertrude," "Violet."

GRAHAM—In sad and loving memory of our dear father, William Graham, whom God called Home to rest 3rd November, 1923.
Peace, perfect peace, with loved ones far away,
In Jesus' keeping we are safe and they.
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KERR—In sad and loving memory of my beloved husband, Richard Henry Kerr, of 101 Lower Beechwood avenue, Ranelagh. "We thank Thee, God, for every remembrance of him."

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LEGAL NOTICES.

SAORSTAT EIREANN.
IN THE COURT OF THE RAILWAY TRIBUNAL.
RAILWAYS ACT, 1924.
IN THE MATTER OF THE ABSORPTION OF THE SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY BY THE GREAT SOUTHERN RAILWAYS COMPANY.

WHEREAS a proposed Scheme (the Great Southern Railways Absorption (No. 5) Scheme, 1925) has been prepared by the Railway Tribunal in accordance with the provisions of Section 5 of the Railways Act, 1924, for the absorption of the Southern Railway Company by the Great Southern Railways Company;

And whereas printed copies of the proposed Scheme so prepared have been placed on sale at the price as directed by the Minister for Industry and Commerce; and notice that such copies were so placed on sale, and the place at which they could be obtained was duly published in the "Iris Oifigiuil" of the 16th October, 1925;

Notice is hereby given that the Court of the Railway Tribunal will sit at the Council Chamber, City Hall, Dublin, at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, the 17th day of November, 1925, for the purpose of settling the said Scheme so prepared as aforesaid.

Five copies of objections (if any) intended to be made to the said Scheme should be forwarded to the Registrar of the said Tribunal at No. 3 Upper Castle Yard, Dublin, so as to be received by him not later than the 12th day of November, 1925.

Dated this 2nd day of November, 1925.
JOHN O'BRIEN, Registrar of the Railway Tribunal.
3 Upper Castle Yard, Dublin.
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SAORSTAT EIREANN.
IN THE COURT OF THE RAILWAY TRIBUNAL.
RAILWAYS ACT, 1924.
STANDARD CHARGES—MINIMUM DISTANCES TO BE CHARGED FOR; MINIMUM CHARGES; MILEAGE GRADATIONS; FORMS OF SCHEDULES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Court of the Railway Tribunal will sit at the Council Chamber, City Hall, Dublin, at 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday, the 17th day of November, 1925, to consider the proposals of the Great Southern Railways Company and objections lodged thereto in respect of:

(1) Minimum Distances to be charged for and Minimum Charges to be made under Section 45 of the Railways Act, 1924.
(2) Forms of Schedules under the Fifth Schedule of the said Act.
(3) Mileage Gradations in respect of Schedules under the Fifth Schedule of the said Act.

Dated this 2nd day of November, 1925.
JOHN O'BRIEN, Registrar of the Railway Tribunal.
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SAORSTAT EIREANN.
IN THE COURT OF THE RAILWAY TRIBUNAL.
RAILWAYS ACT, 1924.
PROPOSED NEW CLASSIFICATION OF GOODS.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of Section 26 of the Railways Act, 1924, the Court of the Railway Tribunal will sit at the Council Chamber, City Hall, Dublin, at 11 a.m., on Wednesday, the 18th day of November, 1925, to consider the proposed Classification of Merchandise, as submitted by the Great Southern Railways Company and the objections lodged thereto.

Dated this 2nd day of November, 1925.
JOHN O'BRIEN, Registrar of the Railway Tribunal.
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Notice of Sitting for Proof of Debts.—21.
SAORSTAT EIREANN.
HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE.
IN BANKRUPTCY.
In the Matter of WILLIAM O'CONNOR, of No. 5 Railway road, Dalkey, in the County of Dublin, Provision Merchant, a Bankrupt.

A Public Sitting in this matter will be held before the Chief Registrar, at the Law Courts, The Castle, Dublin, on Thursday, the 19th day of November, 1925, at the hour of eleven o'clock forenoon, for the Proof and Admission of Debts and for the vouching of the Official Assignee's account.

A Creditor may prove his debt at the Sitting, or send his Affidavit of Debt in the prescribed form, or his detailed account, to the under-named Official Assignee four days previously to the Sitting in order to have the same admitted.

Dated this 31st day of October, 1925.
W. F. CONNELL, Second Assistant.
A. G. HOLLINSHEAD, Official Assignee, Law Courts, The Castle, Dublin.
EUGENE F. COLLINS and SON, Solicitors for the Assignee, Temple Chambers, 19 Eustace street, Dublin.

IN THE GOODS OF EDWARD McQUADE, Crossakeel, Kells, Co. Meath, Farmer, Deceased.

Take Notice that on the expiration of eight days from the date hereof, I shall apply to the proper Officer of the High Court of Justice, Saorstat Eireann, for the issue of Grant of Administration of the personal estate and effects of above deceased, who died on the 29th day of November, 1921, on behalf of Sarah McQuade, of Edenburt, Lisduff, Kells, Co. Meath, Widow, unless a Caveat has been duly entered within the aforesaid eight days.

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STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
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Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vic., Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors of, or to have any claims against the estate of the above-named Deceased, who died on the 3rd day of October, 1925, are hereby required on or before the 1st day of December, 1925, to furnish (in writing) the particulars of their claims to the undersigned solicitors for Frances Lucinda Wilson, to whom Probate was granted on the 27th day of October, 1925. And notice is hereby further given that after the said 1st day of December the said Frances Lucinda Wilson will distribute the assets of the said Deceased, having regard only to the claims of which particulars have been received as aforesaid.

Dated this 2nd day of November, 1925.
FRENCH and FRENCH, 7 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin.

SAORSTAT EIREANN.
HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE.
IN BANKRUPTCY.
PATRICK KIERNAN, of 143 Drumcondra road, Dublin, Cattle Dealer, was on the 30th day of October, 1925, adjudged Bankrupt.

Public Sittings will be held before the Court at the Law Courts, The Castle, Dublin, on Friday, the 27th day of November, 1925, and on Friday, the 11th day of December, 1925, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, whereat the Bankrupt is to attend, and to make a full disclosure and discovery of his estate and effects. Creditors may prove their debts, and at the first sitting choose a Creditors' Assignee. At the last sitting the Bankrupt is required to finish his examination.

All persons having in their possession any property of the bankrupt should deliver it, and all debts due to the bankrupt should be paid, to Alfred G. Hollinshead, Official Assignee, Law Courts, The Castle, Dublin, to whom creditors may forward their affidavits of debt.

W. A. COBBE, Acting Deputy Registrar.
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THE HONOURABLE GERALD FITZGERALD, late of 6 Fitzwilliam square, Dublin, Deceased.

Any person having any claim against the Estate of the above Deceased are required to send particulars forthwith to D. and T. FITZGERALD, Solicitors, 20 St. Andrew street, Dublin.

Gazette Notice—Adjudication—Public Sittings.—17.
SAORSTAT EIREANN.
HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE—IN BANKRUPTCY.
GEORGE CLANCY, trading as G. CLANCY and Co., of 43 William street, in the City of Limerick, Merchant, was on the 24th day of October, 1925, adjudged Bankrupt.

Public Sittings will be held before the Court, at the Law Courts, The Castle, Dublin, on Friday, the 20th day of November, 1925, and on Friday, the 4th day of December, 1925, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, whereat the Bankrupt is to attend, and to make a full disclosure and discovery of his estate and effects. Creditors may prove their debts, and at the First Sitting choose a Creditors' Assignee. At the last Sitting the Bankrupt is required to finish his examination.

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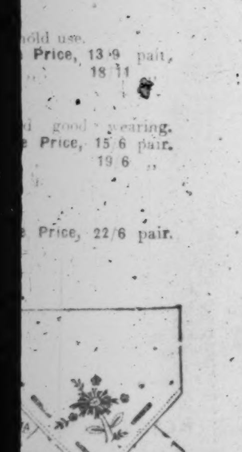

MOTOR TOPICS.

CARS SUITABLE FOR WOMEN DRIVERS.

(BY OUR MOTORING CORRESPONDENT.)

A correspondent has asked me to help him in selecting a car "suitable for a lady to drive." I am afraid that I cannot be of much service to him at present, for he has omitted to mention important details and has given no indication of the amount he is prepared to spend. I can make his mind easy on one point, however: virtually every modern car can be driven easily by a woman.

The statement that a particular car is singularly suitable for women drivers is out of date. In bygone days we had terrible monsters which were exceedingly difficult to steer at low speeds. Strong nerves and arms were required to control them. But that type of car has disappeared. It never was suitable either for male or female drivers, and nobody will shed a tear for it. There are very few cars made to-day that a woman cannot control with ease. Adjustable seats, lightly tensioned brake and clutch pedals, a comfortable position for the driver's right foot on the accelerator, brakes within easy reach, light but steady steering, and good road holding—these are the characteristics of the modern car; the things which make a car easy to drive by a woman as well as by a man.

Horse Power

I do not think that my correspondent need attach much importance to the question of horse power; it makes little or no difference in choosing a car for a lady. There are cars which develop 60 or 70 horse power and yet are as easy to handle as one developing nine or ten. Their flexibility is one of their chief merits. They can pick up speed so quickly and come down to a snail's pace so rapidly that they give one an extraordinary sense of control and are delightful to handle.

There are certain small cars which deserve special consideration from women motorists on account of the way in which their interests have been studied by the designers. Wheel changing, for instance, has been robbed of its terrors and made an extremely simple operation. The arrangements for the raising of the hood, too, have been brought to such a pitch of perfection that they will not tax the strength of the most delicate driver. But, on the whole, my advice to women is the same as that which I give to men—buy, if you can afford it, a car which comes into the category of the "family car"; a car of about 14 nominal horse power. You will find it roomy and comfortable, easy to drive, and with sufficient power to take you and your friends anywhere. I have nothing but praise for the light car which ranges in price from £170 to £250; but not even its warmest admirers will contend that it is equal to the class of car I have mentioned.

Winter Oil.

Another winter will soon be with us, and, according to weather experts of high repute, it will be more severe than any we have experienced since 1895-96. A few words about motoring in winter, therefore, may not be out of place. At the end of this month every cautious owner-driver should drain out his engine oil, flush the crank case sump through with paraffin, and replenish it with a thinner grade of fresh oil. This advice may seem old-fashioned, and I can almost hear some wise young reader exclaim "quite unnecessary"—but it is sound. When an engine is started from cold, after standing overnight in a low temperature, the pump often fails to draw in a continuous supply of oil—your pressure gauge will show you that—and, therefore, the engine is starved for oil until the warming up process is complete. During these few minutes great damage may be done.

Tests carried out recently by the United States Bureau of standards showed that even when a suitable winter oil was used the engine bearings and cylinder walls were often starved of oil for the first ten or fifteen minutes' running in cold weather. With a summer-grade oil the lubrication was even worse. Those tests prove that the driver who uses a thick oil in winter time runs the risk of seized pistons and bearing trouble. No matter what oil is used the engine never should be driven quickly until it has warmed up and wild fluctuations in the pressure gauge have disappeared.

Never attempt to thin down heavy oil with paraffin, and never buy any but an oil of proved quality and reputation. Do not be "penny wise pound foolish." It pays to buy good oil.

A Warning.

The Automobile Association has issued a timely warning against the risk of fire and personal injury attached to the presence of lighted matches or other exposed flames in the region of car batteries. It reports that recently while a car was stationary, with its engine running and charging the battery, a lighted match was passed across the car about eighteen inches above the battery. The gas which is generated during the charging process ignited, and blew acid into the eye of a passenger, blinding him.

Commercial Motor Exhibition.

The following notes of exhibits at the Commercial Motor Exhibition at Olympia, London, are supplied by our London Correspondent:—

The exhibit of the Albion Motor Company includes the 30 cwt. War Department subsidy type chassis, a two-ton lorry, 30-60 h.p. 30-passenger omnibus, 30 cwt. van, four-ton Overtype van, and 30-60 h.p. 18-passenger Viking coach. Albion vans did much to develop mechanical transport for commercial purposes, and the excellent reputation they have always held will be further enhanced by the new models, which include many improvements upon previous types. This stand contains one of the most interesting exhibits of the whole show. It is interesting not only on account of its modern character, but because of its achievement. It is the actual 'bus which only a few days ago ran from Glasgow to London and back in twenty-four hours and five minutes. The vehicle is a new 30-60 h.p. 30-seater single deck 'bus. Weight, with full tanks, exceeded 5¼ tons, and the average mileage worked out at 11.4 miles per gallon of petrol. The average speed was no less than 33.3 miles per hour, and the engine was not stopped once during the whole run of 801 miles. An accomplishment of this description speaks well for modern motor transport vehicles in general and for the 1926 Albion 'bus in particular.

The Dunlop Rubber Company show various examples of the extensive range of Dunlop productions. Dunlop solid rubber band tyres are shown in plain form, and with non-skid treads, while cushion tyres are in view in various types, as well as solid tyres for industrial trolleys. Dunlop straight-sided pneumatic cord tyres are exhibited in a range which covers all types of commercial vehicle tyres. Other exhibits include steel disc wheels and hubs for commercial vehicles, detachable artillery steel wheels for Ford ton vans, and the special Dunlop cushion tyre and disc wheel equipment for the rear wheels of Ford ton vehicles. All the productions are thoroughly worthy of the name they bear.

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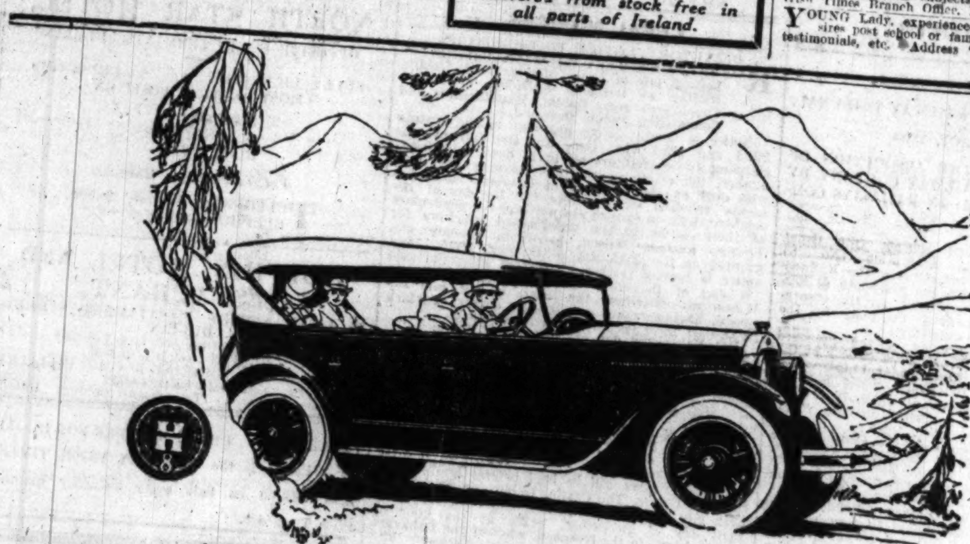

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A FEW 2-Ton Lorries complete, perfect order, £100; one new Trailer, weight 14 cwt., will load 30 cwt.; special springing, £60; two Ford Vans, good order; also one Van, requiring repairs; all cheap.—Browett's, 5 North Wall. 8 26

COMMER Cars can now be obtained on the Hire Purchase System. Apply Collier, Main street, Bray, Co. Wicklow. T

FORD Ton Truck, beautiful condition; tax paid, mechanically perfect, £65; Ford Commercial, 1925, as new, £85.—Fitzgerald, 128 Stephen's Green. 29 B

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WANTED, Secondhand Van (ton).—A 634, this office. 30 C

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2 815 x 105 Cord S. Edge, new, £5 the pair.—70 Rathgar road.

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A1—NUMEROUS Pedal Cycles to be cleared before Stocktaking. Prices to suit all intending purchasers. Call and enquire at Wayte Bros., Ltd., Lemon street, off Grafton street, Dublin. T

BEST value in the world, a Trusty Triumph Bicycle, from £6 19/6, or on Easiest of Easy Payment Systems. Write for Catalogues.—Triumph Company (Ireland), Ltd., 12 Saint Andrew street, Dublin. 28 19

WANTED

TWO Bicycles (lady's, gentleman's) Wanted; state make, size, price, particulars.—A 619, this office. 29 B

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MOTOR Mechanic—Wanted, Improver or good Apprentice; state wages, etc.—A 904, this office.

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CHAUFFEUR, Gardener disengaged; careful driver city traffic; electric lighting plant. Interview Dublin any time.—A 468, this office. 28 E

SMART Young Man, highly recommended, seeks employment, Motor Driving, Gardening, Handy Man, or similar occupation; moderate wages (outdoor preferred). Apply A 811, this office. 2 C

YOUNG Man, T.T., wants job; can drive Ford van or lorry, do repairs; reference.—A 909, this office. 2 C

YOUNG Man, Protestant, T.T., do running repairs, car or lorry; generally useful, milk cow; good references. Address "Z 493, Man," this office.

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THE IRISH TIMES is due to arrive in Belfast at 9.10 a.m. If it is not delivered within a reasonable time, please communicate with our Branch Office, 139 Royal Avenue.

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FOUND, nice Black and Tan Dog, with white breast.—A 891, this office. 2 E

LOST, Grey Fur, by maid crossing stile, Clontarf. Please return Blackheath, Clontarf.

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ASSISTANT Auctioneer required by progressive firm. Please apply in confidence with all details, age, qualification, experience (if any), and salary required, to A 723, this office. 31 C

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BOOT Salesman Wanted; state experience and salary expected.—John A. Pollock, Londonderry. 2 E

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CONFECTIONER required for Bakehouse in provincial town in Offaly. Give particulars of experience, copies of references and state salary required (indoor). Address "Z 501, Confectioner," this office. 2 E

DRAUGHTSMAN Wanted, Dublin, Light Structural Ironworks. Reply, giving age, experience, salary expected, to A 911, this office. 2 E

DRAPERY—Manageress Wanted (Protestant), thoroughly experienced saleswoman and stockkeeper, country; state age and salary expected (indoor). Address "Z 494, Drapery," this office. 2 E

ELECTRICAL Engineering—Vacancy occurs for Apprentice, city firm; premium required.—A 893, this office.

GOOD Handyman Wanted for occasional jobs, plastering, carpentry, etc.; wages hourly.—A 921, this office.

GROCERY—Wanted, Assistant, with thorough knowledge of the trade; must be able to take charge in owner's absence. Apply, with references, "Z 498, Assistant," this office. 2 E

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TYPIST Wanted for Tea, Wine Merchant's Office; experienced; Accountant's Office training if possible.—A 784, this office. 1 D

WANTED, Companion, to cook and care house for single professional lady; comfortable home; must provide own food; satisfactory references absolutely necessary. Apply "Z 406, Companion," this office. 30 B

WANTED, Van Salesman, Wholesale Confectionery; able to drive; preference to man with good connection.—A 633, this office. 30 C

WANTED, Lady Cook Housekeeper (maid kept), small family; comfortable situation; give references and salary required.—Rev. Brown, Rectory, Kilworth, Co. Cork.

WANTED, experienced Useful Help; competent cook when required; soups, fowl, cakes, sweets; clever needlewoman, hand and machine; understand house parlour duties; usual uniform required; work not heavy; good home.—Box 789, Eason's Advertising Service, Dublin.

WANTED, Useful Help; light work; L.C.; copies references.—Beto, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown.

WANTED, thoroughly competent Dressmaker, renovations, etc., lady's house.—R O 99, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines.

16 LADY Canvassers (no selling) Wanted for house to house campaign in Dublin. Applicants must be energetic, of good appearance and pleasing manner; character must bear strict investigation.—A 916, this office.

MONEY, PARTNERSHIPS, ETC.

ACCOUNTANT and Auditor, with a city Office, would take a Partner, with small capital.—A 849, this office.

YOU cannot do better if you require a Loan from £10 upwards; reasonable interest; Dublin only.—Y 1257, this office. 156 13

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ANY volume Legal, Literary, Copying at shortest notice. Expert Shorthand Writers available per hour. Rapid service, confidential correspondence, translations, verbatim reporting. 'Phone 4557.—Emergency Secretarial Service, 35 Dawson street. T

EXCELLENT Typewriting in all branches; French and German Translations undertaken.—Misses Watson, 85 Grafton street. 2 E

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POSITIONS VACANT.

HOTEL Assistant required; must be thoroughly experienced in the care of linen. Full particulars of experience, salary, etc., to A 925, this office. 2 C

KITCHENMAID Wanted; must be thoroughly experienced. Apply Royal Hibernian Hotel. 2 C

EMPLOYMENT WANTED

EXPERIENCED young Man go Club Steward or Head Waiter, hotel or restaurant.—A 714, this office. 30 C

HOTEL Housemaid, city or suburbs; thoroughly understands duties; highly recommended.—A 838, this office.

LINEN Room Maid requires situation, city, country, suburbs; good papers.—A 754, this office. 31 B

TWO Ladies would run Guest House or Private Hotel for owner; experienced; or would run Tea Rooms, Dublin or suburbs. Apply A 816, this office.

THOROUGHLY experienced Hotel Waitress disengaged; reliable girl; satisfactory papers; city, country.—A 887, this office. 2 E

WANTED, Management Hotel and/or Restaurant, experienced man; excellent testimonials.—A 845, this office.

WAITRESS, young, thoroughly experienced; excellent references.—A 895, this office. 2 E

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AGENT Wanted, with best references, for Sale of French Wines direct from producer to consumers.—A 905, this office.

LADY Representatives required in Irish Free State and Six Counties to interview members of the Scholastic, Medical, Banking and other Professions. Apply Waverley Book Co., Ltd., Unity Buildings, 16/17 Lower O'Connell street, Dublin. 2 E

REPRESENTATIVE required by Firm of Galvanised Holloware Manufacturers; must have good connection amongst Factors and Wholesale Ironmongers. Apply Box S.S. 255, Irish Times Office, 59 Fleet street, London, E.C.4. 30 C

REQUIRED, smart Representative, calling Retail Shops, introduce Advertising proposition; good commission; excellent prospects; details interview. Address "Z 438, Representative," this office. 31 D

TRAVELLER Wanted immediately for Haberdashery; must understand Ford car.—A 842, this office.

WANTED, Traveller (Assistant), experienced in Wireless and Allied Trade, for Dublin Branch, Continental manufacturers; splendid prospects; references, salary, etc., confidential.—A 891, this office. 2 E

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LONDON Agent, established 12 years, with sound connections, desires Representation of important Manufacturer, commission basis; highest references. Offers to Henry J. Twite, 4 Ludgate Circus, London, E.C. 30 D

YOUNG Man, having good knowledge of the Tea, Wine and Spirit trade, wishes to Represent a good house; first class references.—A 864, this office. 2 E

MEDICAL APPOINTMENTS.

GALWAY CENTRAL HOSPITAL.
TEMPORARY HOUSE PHYSICIAN Wanted for period to 31st December next. Remuneration at rate of £100 per annum, with apartments, rations, etc. Applications should reach the undersigned not later than 4 o'clock p.m. on the 10th instant for submission to the Committee at Meeting the following day. A working knowledge of Irish necessary. By Order, S. O'GALLCOBAIR, Runaidhe. Board Room, Central Hospital, Galway, November 2nd, 1925.

APPRENTICE Wanted (Prelim. passed) for Medical Hall, large provincial town; outdoor; no fee required. Address "Z 386, Apprentice," this office.

GENERAL trained Registered Nurse requires position on staff of Private Nursing Home; day or night duty.—A 752, this office. 31 D

LADY (Protestant), Bray, knowledge of Nursing, very kind, would take charge of two old ladies; doctor's recommendations.—A 670, this office.

NURSE Attendant or Secretary Attendant to professional gentleman; experienced.—A 799, this office. 2 E

QUALIFIED Chemist Wanted, for provincial Pharmacy; state age, experience, salary, testimonials (copies).—A 848, this office. 2 E

REQUIRED for Dublin Pharmacy, gentlemanly Apprentice; good opening for one with Prelim.—A 818, this office.

WANTED, Night Attendant, invalid lady; some nursing experience; country; cyclist; references.—McDowell, Loughton, Killaloe. 29 B

WIDOW, R.C., wants position as Nurse Matron, in school; held similar position for 3 years; or would care invalid lady or gentleman; long nursing experience and good references.—A 843, this office. 2 C

WANTED, vacancy in Private Nursing Home, South side, for gentleman partly paralysed; slight attendance; state terms.—A 917, this office.

YOUNG L.P.S.I. (Northern) seeks position; four years' experience in leading Dublin house; excellent testimonials.—A 900, this office.

TUITIONS (CONTINUED).

GOVERNESSES AND TUTORS WANTED.

AGENT FOR GOVERNESSES AND SCHOOLS.—Miss Bellingham Todd, 5 Grafton street, Dublin. Advises Parents and Managers. Tel. No. 5258. T

PRINCIPAL Male Wanted, Dublin City Mixed School, National Board; Protestant; average 85. Secretary, 9 Eden quay. References, testimonial, copies. 29 B

WANTED immediately, Nursery Governess; R.C.; must understand young children, and have long discharges; age 30-35.—A 557, this office. 29 B

WANTED, young Lady (Protestant) as experienced Nursery Governess, three young children; first lessons; send copies of references, state age and salary expected. Address "Z 477, Lady," this office.

EMPLOYMENT WANTED.

BOOKKEEPER (Lady), 10 years' experience, able to act on own initiative; Whole or Part Time.—A 598, this office. 29 B

BOOKKEEPER (Lady), highly experienced, desires engagement; excellent reference. Address "Z 448, Bookkeeper," this office. 1 E

COOK, disengaged, desires post as Housekeeper to one or more gentlemen where other maids kept; economical manager and good needlewoman.—A 923, this office. 2 E

DRAWINGS, Tracings, Blue Prints made by competent Draughtsman; extremely moderate.—A 882, this office. 2 E

EDINBURGH College trained Housekeeper, diploma, seeks engagement (Protestant); experience of catering, knowledge of gardening. Address "Z 371, Housekeeper," this office. 29 B

GROCERY and Provisions—Young Man, seven years' experience, Protestant, disengaged, desirous situation; highest references. Address "Z 408, Man," this office. 30 B

GERMAN, French Translation, Correspondence, Interpreting—Irishman, travelled abroad; moderate.—A 860, this office. 2 E

HAIRDRESSER desires position, in city saloon; good hair cutter, shaver, and shingler.—A 819, this office.

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LICENSED Trade and General Business, city and country experience—Married Man seeks the Management of a House.—A 611, this office. 29 B

LADY, accustomed to Children, will take charge. Daily.—A 680, this office. 30 C

LADY Help disengaged; Kingstown preferred; recommended.—1614, Irish Times Branch Office, Blackrock.

MANNEQUIN—Advertiser is open for engagement to Model, for short or long periods. For particulars apply to Miss V. M. Dodd, The Mall, Sligo. 29 B

MECHANIC, 29, T.T., C.I., eight years' experience in steam fitting, screwed pipe work, lorry and car overhauls and repair, electric lighting and battery charging; three years roller flour and transport. Address "Z 426, Mechanic," this office. 30 C

YOUNG Lady, Protestant, 25, wishes post; interest in gardening, poultry and domestics; maid kept; salary £30-£36; good references. Address "Z 492, Lady," this office.

YOUNG Protestant Lady wishes post as Companion Help or Housekeeper; pleasant and energetic; good references. Address "Z 491, Help," this office.

MALE SERVANTS WANTED.

HERD—Wanted, energetic Man, with two or three sons able to assist. Send particulars to John Waldron, Finnstown House, Lucan, Co. Dublin.

WANTED, reliable General Man, able to milk, who understands stock and farm work. Apply with references, stating age and wage, H. Palmer, Caherlistrane, Galway. 31 B

WANTED, Working Herd for gentleman's place (Protestant), with one Son, and willing to milk if required. Address "Z 450, Herd," this office. 1 D

STEWARDS AND GARDENERS WANTED

MAN Wanted, plain gardening and cows; five Irish servants; £24 (indoor); fare advanced.—Rector, Combeflorey, Taunton. 30 C

MALE SERVANTS DISENGAGED.

BUTLER; reliable, trustworthy man; long, exceptional papers.—S., 567 North Circular road.

COOK (male), and housework, long experience; any establishment.—A 787, this office. 1 D

COUNTRY Man wishes indoor job, farm or dairy work; good milker; state wages.—M 3, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown.

GENERAL Man, single, good milker, plain Gardener; good all round man; highly recommended; Protestant. Address "Z 440, Man," this office. 31 B

MARRIED Couple, disengaged, would do work of house between them, or would go Caretakers.—A 873, this office. 29 B

RESPECTABLE Protestant Boy (18) wishes to be trained for Housework.—Anngrove, Mountmellick. 29 B

WANTED, situation as Herd; R.C.; married, family one; life experience of cattle and their diseases; good references; free to take work. Address "Z 411, Herd," this office. 30 B

YOUNG Man seeks situation, milking, farm work; state terms.—A 785, this office.

YOUNG married Man desires offer position as Herd; thorough knowledge of cattle, sheep, etc.; excellent references as to character, etc. Apply A 869, this office. 2 E

STEWARDS AND GARDENERS DISENGAGED

A MAN wishes to hear of vacancy as Plain Gardener, and care motor; can be highly recommended. A 875, this office. 29 B

LEGAL APPOINTMENTS.

ASSISTANT Wanted (Dublin), principally Costs; good salary if suitable. Apply, stating salary required and experience, A 745, this office. 31 D

PARTNERSHIP to young Solicitor, no money required. Address "Z 465, Partnership," this office. 2 E

SHORTHAND Typist, six years' experience, disengaged, Legal or otherwise.—A 684, this office. 30 C

SOLICITOR'S Practice for Sale; money Partnership considered; West. Address "Z 468, Practice," this office. 2 E

TUITIONS AND SCHOLARSHIPS.

ALL Professional and University Prelims, Oral and Correspondence. Success lists free.—McGUIRE'S COLLEGE, 5 Gardiner's Row. T

AT recent Government Typists' Examination, Our Successes included First Place. All Commercial Subjects taught.—Belmont College, 47 Dawson street, Dublin. ('Phone 2685.) 29 B

DISENGAGED, successful Visiting Governess, Protestant; all subjects.—95 Lower Beechwood avenue, Ranelagh. 30 C

FRENCH—Mlle. Jules (diplomé)—Conversation. All Exams prepared. Interview, 22 Waterloo road. Classes.—A 772, this office. 31 D

GERMAN Lady, highly cultured; private Lessons and Classes.—A 772, this office. 31 D

LEARN the German Language—Private Lessons at home or by appointment; Business Correspondence Translated.—Miss Stein, 4 Walworth road, S.C.R., Dublin. 12 24

LADY, Student, Blackrock, desires Tuitions few hours Daily, or Household duties; highest references.—A 822, this office. 2 E

LADY, R.C., desires position as Nursery Governess; English, music; children 4-10; highly recommended; state salary. Address "Z 482, Governess," this office. 2 C

SHORTHAND, Typewriting, Bookkeeping, etc.—Metropolitan College (Gillespie's), 100 Lower Mount street. 'Phone 3055. T

SHORTHAND, Typewriting, expert personal Tuition; rapid results; moderate.—Murphy, 16 Appian Way. 12 25

SPECIAL Secretarial Training—Students are assisted to obtain positions when fully qualified.—Miss Regan's Civil Service and Commercial College, 53 and 54 Lower O'Connell street. 29 B

TO Know the German Language is an Asset. Learn it.—Miss Stein, 4 Walworth road, S.C.R. Private teacher. Correspondence translated. 8 2

TEACHER desires post in Church School, with house; experience; references. Address "Z 471, Teacher," this office.

YOUNG Lady, R.C., wishes post as Governess; can teach English subjects, French and music.—169, Irish Times Branch Office, Ranelagh. 29 B

YOUNG Lady, experienced, with Part I, N.F.U., desires post school or family; excellent with children; testimonials, etc. Address "Z 445, Lady," this office. 31 C

MALE SERVANTS CONTINUED

EXPERIENCED Working Gardener seeks situation; highest references; highly recommended; Protestant; one child.—A 897, this office. 2 E

GARDENER (Protestant, Head Working), wants situation; highest references.—A 782, this office. 1 D

GARDENER, life experience in all branches, work, daily or otherwise.—A 752, this office. 31 D

GARDENER (Working), experienced in all branches, disengaged; highly recommended.—Gardener, 64 Upper Leeson street. 1 D

GARDENER, daily work, vines, vegetables, flowers, roses.—Gardener, 10 Coldwell street, Sandycove.

LAND Steward (Scotch) desires engagement; extensive experience in stock and tillage and general management. Apply Dickson's, Dawson street, Dublin. 29 B

LAND Steward wants situation; thorough knowledge tillage, stock, buying and selling; pedigree herd; machinery, accounts; married; Protestant; highest references. Address "Z 404, Steward," this office. 30 C

STEWARD, Stock Manager, buy and sell; middle-aged, single, R.C. Address "Z 487, Steward," this office.

YOUNG married man, I.C., seeks situation, Garden Work or General Man; Wife dairy or mind poultry; gentleman's recommendations. Address "Z 495, Man," this office. 2 E

DOMESTICS WANTED.

A RESPECTABLE Person Wanted for Ballsbridge district a few hours daily; good washer and scrubber; must be well recommended; send all particulars. Address A 821, this office. 2 E

ATTENDANT Wanted occasionally for afternoon parties; experienced; well recommended.—A. W., Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown.

BETWEENMAID Wanted; must be young, strong, and willing, and well recommended. Apply 72 Lower Baggot street after 6.

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WANTED, respectable I.C. middle aged Woman, farmer's place; two in family; wages £12. Good home. Address "Z 436, Woman," this office. 31 C

WANTED, respectable Girl, three days weekly, Rathgar; references essential.—A 913, this office. 2 E

WANTED, Betweenmaid or General, age about 20; must be well recommended. Apply 73 Lower Leeson street, between 5 and 7 p.m.

COOKS AND DAIRYMAIDS WANTED

COOK General Wanted for country. Apply Mrs. Robinson, Phepotstown, Kilcock.

COOK General and House Parlourmaid, experienced; modern house; Catholic family. Write, with full particulars, to Mrs. Wilding, Helmath, Blackburn, Lancashire. 2 C

COOK General Wanted for Holywood, Co. Down; small family; washing; send copies references; wages £36. Address "Z 484, Cook General," this office.

EXPERIENCED Cook General, under 40 (R.C.); good references; personal recommendation; 2 in family; Pembroke; house parlourmaid kept; good wages. Replies to A 583, this office. 29 B

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REQUIRED immediately, young Cook General; suburbs; R.C.; must have long discharges.—A 559, this office. 29 B

WANTED immediately, good Cook, R.C.; small dairy; kitchenmaid kept. Send references, state wages. Mrs. Sweetman, Longtown, Sallins, Co. Kildare. 30 C

WANTED for Co. Wexford, smart Protestant Girl, to train as Cook; some experience preferred. State age, wages expected, and references. Address "Z 442, Cook," this office. 31 D

WANTED immediately, good, young, R.C. Cook; kitchenmaid kept; small dairy; three in family; £35. Copes, age, to Knox, Brittas, Thurles. 1 D

GENERALS WANTED.

A YOUNG General Wanted, some experience; £20 start. Apply with references, after 4 p.m., 5 St. Anne's Villas, Dollymount.

A RELIABLE and settled Protestant General Wanted, household of four, Blackrock; from £32.—A 906, this office. 2 D

A GENERAL Servant or Working Housekeeper required; must be strong minded, capable, able to attend excitable lady; high wages; frequent leave. Apply A 918, this office.

CAPABLE General Wanted immediately, three children; nurse and washerwoman kept; £24; Booterstown district.—A 858, this office.

GOOD general required immediately; small house; three in family; Pembroke district. Address "Z 422, General," this office. 30 C

WANTED, capable General; must be fond of children. Call 20 Garville avenue, Rathgar. 29 B

WANTED (daily), trained General, 25-30; no cooking. Seen between 1 and 2, 64 Waterloo road. 31 B

WANTED, young Girl as General. Apply 65 Grosvenor square, between 12 and 3 o'clock. 1 D

WANTED, Girl, about 16, to train General; wages £14 to £16.—2 Montpelier place, Blackrock.

WANTED, experienced General for Ballsbridge; plain cooking, small family; send copies of papers, with full particulars; good wages given. Address A 823, this office. 2 E

WANTED, General (Protestant); no washing or housemaid's work; three in family; must be highly recommended.—A 841, this office. 2 C

WANTED, experienced young General, November 36th; plain cooking, small washing; family two.—A 850, this office. 2 C

WANTED, General, family 2; comfortable home; wages £26-£30. Call 24 Main street, Blackrock.

WANTED, young General, daily; well recommended. 41 Clarinda Park, East, Kingstown.

WANTED, reliable General; do plain cooking, washing, etc.; help given; wages £20; send copies references; comfortable home.—"Lisnamara," Bray.

WANTED, superior young General, Wellington road, two in family; wages £25-£30; good references essential.—1024, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge. 2 C

WANTED, good General Servant; can do plain cooking and washing; second maid kept. Apply Somerset, Blackrock, between 11 and 2 p.m. 2 C

HOUSE AND PARLOURMAIDS WANTED.

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PARLOURMAID or House Parlourmaid, experienced; £35-£45; housemaid kept; small family. Full particulars to Holt, "Priory," Hoylake, near Liverpool. 31 B

WANTED, Carlow, Singlehanded Housemaid, R.C.; must be well recommended; wages £20-£24; send copies. Address "Z 373, Housemaid," this office. 29 B

WANTED immediately for Ailesbury road, young House Parlourmaid; good needlewoman; good wages. Reply A 696, this office. 30 C

WANTED, Parlourmaid, R.C., for country, strong, capable; send papers.—Miss Sherlock, Sallins, Co. Kildare. 31 D

WANTED, Girl to train House Parlourmaid (outdoor).—1023, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge. 1 B

WANTED, young House Parlourmaid, Protestant; good needlewoman; small family; good wages. Reply A 898, this office. 2 E

WANTED, experienced Parlourmaid, tall, nice appearance, small family, convenient house, Midlands; uniform supplied; send copies age, wages. Address "Z 496, Maid," this office. 2 E

YOUNG House Parlourmaid, one in family; good references. Blake, Upper Glenageary road, Co. Dublin. 2 E

NURSES WANTED

AGENT for NURSES, MAIDS and ATTENDANTS. Miss Bellingham Todd, 5 Grafton street, Dublin. Interviews daily. Tel. No. 5258. T

EXPERIENCED Nurse Wanted for baby from month. Call 89 Lower Baggot street. 1 B

NURSE Housemaid Wanted; supervise 2 children, 9 and 6 years, housework, etc.; laundry and needlework essential.—H. N., Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown.

WANTED at once, Nurse, three children, 3, 1, 3 weeks, mother taking charge youngest; Protestant preferred.—Mrs. West, Trim, Meath. 29 B

WANTED, Nurse or Children's Maid (Protestant) for 3 little girls (ages 5½, 4, and 3); must be well recommended, and do all usual nursery duties; good needlewoman. Apply to Mrs. Clarke, Ballinakill House, Waterford. 31 D

WANTED, a young Girl as Nurse for two children, two and four years; must be well recommended, and do all usual nursery duties; good needlewoman essential. Apply "Belmont," Mountpleasant square, Ranelagh.

KITCHEN, LAUNDRY, ETC., WANTED.

WANTED, respectable, reliable Girl for kitchen; used to country place; good milker, laundress, and scrubber; must be early riser and keep place clean and tidy; understand fowl.—Box 790, Eason's Advertising Service, Dublin.

WANTED, repectable, clean Girl to train as Kitchenmaid.—Belmont, Mullingar.

DOMESTICS DISENGAGED.

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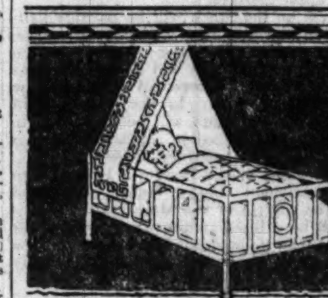

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YESTERDAY'S LAW REPORTS.

SALE OF LICENSED PREMISES.

ACTION FOR SPECIFIC PERFORMANCE.

(BEFORE THE CHIEF JUSTICE, MR. JUSTICE FITZGIBBON AND MR. JUSTICE MURNAGHAN.)

The hearing was resumed of the case of Archdeacon v. Cronin, in which John Archdeacon sued Michael Cronin for specific performance of a contract to purchase his licensed premises, with two cottages attached, in Kanturk, Co. Cork. The purchase price was £2,200, and according to the contract, which was dated 5th April, 1924, vacant possession of the premises, including the cottages, was to be given and the sale completed within six months.

There appeared to be considerable delay, however, in making title and giving vacant possession within the time specified. The premises were held in fee simple.

In his defence the defendant pleaded the Statute of Frauds, and alleged that at the time he entered into the purchase contract he was so drunk that he did not understand what he was doing.

The appeal was brought by the plaintiff from a judgment of Mr. Justice Meredith dismissing the plaintiff's action, with costs. The main question in the case was whether time was of the essence of the contract, and whether there had been a "waiver" on the part of the defendant.

The arguments having concluded, the Court reserved judgment.

Mr. Phelps, K.C., Mr. Shannon, K.C., and Mr. Binchey (instructed by Mr. J. J. Lenahan) appeared for the appellant and plaintiff; and Mr. F. FitzGibbon, K.C., Mr. J. M. Fitzgerald, K.C., and Mr. Corbett (instructed by Mr. D. E. Ferguson) for the respondent and defendant.

DUBLIN MAN'S ESTATE.

ORDER PRESUMING DEATH MADE.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE MEREDITH.)

In the matter of the estate of James O'Brien, of Albert Lodge, Drumcondra, Co. Dublin, deceased, Mr. H. Morgan Byrne (instructed by Messrs. J. L. Scallan and Co.) moved on behalf of Mary O'Brien (plaintiff), of Loretto Convent, Clonmel, to have it presumed that John O'Brien, a beneficiary of the estate of James O'Brien, was dead.

Counsel said that James O'Brien had left six houses at Sandymount to the Rev. James Joseph O'Brien for his lifetime, and after his death to the eight children of his nephew, Terence O'Brien, or such of them as would be alive at the time.

The testator died in 1868, and probate of the will was granted to the Rev. J. J. O'Brien in 1868, and he went into possession of the houses until his death in 1915.

The only portion of the original estate that remained unadministered was the six houses at Sandymount. The present applicant took out administration in February, 1916, and she sold this property for, roughly, £1,000, and distributed the money amongst the children of Terence O'Brien whom she knew to have survived the Rev. J. J. O'Brien. She retained on hands the sum of money which would be the portion due to John O'Brien, and before she distributed that she asked to have it presumed that John O'Brien was dead, as she had not heard of him for thirty years, and advertisements in the newspapers failed to procure any news of him.

Mr. Justice Meredith made the order presuming the death of John O'Brien.

A YOUNG GIRL'S INJURIES

ACTION AGAINST THE DUBLIN UNITED TRAMWAYS CO.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE HANNA.)

An action for damages for personal injuries was brought against the Dublin United Tramways Company by Kathleen Murphy, aged 10, living at 2 Avondale avenue, Phibsborough. The case for the plaintiff was that while crossing the road, opposite Phibsborough Catholic Church, on March 19, she was knocked down by a tramcar going in the city direction, and received injuries which, it was alleged, were due to the negligence, carelessness, and breach of duty of defendants' servant in the driving of the car. Defendants denied negligence, and pleaded that it was the negligence of the plaintiff that was solely the cause of the accident.

Mr. A. E. Wood, K.C.; Mr. W. J. Gleeson and Mr. C. Campbell (instructed by Mr. Joseph Gleeson) were for plaintiff; and Mr. P. Lynch, K.C.; Mr. J. M. Fitzgerald, K.C., and Mr. Mooney (instructed by Messrs. Casey, Clay and Collins) for defendants.

In the course of evidence it was stated that the little girl was going to ten o'clock Mass at St. Peter's Church, and, before crossing the road, looked up and down and saw a tram a considerable distance away. She had got partly across the road when the tram struck her and knocked her down. One of the wheels passed over her right hand, and she had lost two fingers as a result, and was also injured in the head.

On behalf of the defendants it was alleged that she left the footpath while running, and returned again to the footpath, and suddenly, without looking where she was going, ran against the tram, struck the step and fell.

The case had not concluded when the Court rose.

SHEEP SCAB IN BELFAST.

MAN WHO PLEADED IGNORANCE.

A fine of 40s. and costs was imposed in the Belfast Summons Court on Thomas J. Fulton, Ballynacree, Ballymoney, who was charged with exposing for sale a sheep suffering from scab, and who pleaded that he was ignorant of his offence and had lost £23 as a result of his sheep being held up in the market for a fortnight.

Inspector M'Bride, in reply to Mr. Toppin, Resident Magistrate, said that in a large number of cases sheep scab was not visible.

Mr. Toppin—How was a farmer to know when bringing sheep to the market?

The Inspector—A man of practical experience ought to know.

ARMED ROBBERS DEFIED.

BELFAST WOMEN BEAT OFF FOOTPADS.

Young men armed with revolvers accosted two women in the Greenisland district of Belfast on Thursday, one "hold-up" being committed in broad daylight. In each case money was demanded, but the women had sufficient grit to tackle the footpads, who went away without any booty.

Two men, named Patrick McNally, of Riversdale terace, Whiteabbey, and Denis McLoughlin, of Factory street, Whiteabbey, have been remanded on a charge of "holding up" with intent to rob Miss Madeline Paxton, who lives at the Knockagh, and who manages one of Sir W. Turner's branch shops. The other woman was Miss Nora Forbes.

GOODS SHORTAGE IN TRANSIT.

A meeting of the General Committee of the Dublin Mercantile Association, Limited, was held at 3 Burgh quay, Dublin.

Arising out of complaints received, and following the request to their members for specific cases of shortages of goods occurring in transit or Customs, the Committee had reports from two firms of such shortages and verbal mention of other cases.

In these cases the individual firms had taken the necessary action to follow up the matter.

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DUBLIN DISTRICT COURT.

MOTOR SPEED TESTS.

ACCURACY OF GUARDS' TIMING.

(BEFORE MR. CUSSEN.)

When the first of seventy-one motor summonses, a large number of which dealt with the speed limit, came before the Court, Mr. Cussen announced that, as the accuracy of the timing of Guards had been questioned by the defending solicitor in a previous case, he had got the inspector in charge of these matters to make special tests by the best method possible. The matter was of considerable importance to a large section of the community, and so the inspector had tested the timing of three of his officers in a particular manner. He would tell the Court how he carried out the test.

Inspector Winters said that, acting on the instructions of the Justice, he applied tests in the Phœnix Park last Saturday on Guards Daly and Murphy. He engaged a motor car, and got it fitted with a new speedometer. His next step was to secure a driver, who was a mechanic of 17 years' experience, to drive the car. They drove for a distance of a quarter of a mile on three tests, and neither the driver nor himself divulged to the Guards the speed at which the car travelled, nor had he even an opportunity of speaking to the Guards since.

On the first time over the measured distance they travelled at 20½ or 21 miles an hour; on the second the speed was slightly over 26 miles, and on the third about 22½ miles an hour.

He then went to Inchicore road and tested Guard Webb, the car travelling over one-eighth of a mile. On the first time over the distance the speed was 22 miles an hour, and on the second 25¼ miles an hour. None of the Guards knew the speed at which he was travelling, and he had had the speedometer thoroughly tested.

Mr. Cussen then intimated that on Saturday, after the tests, the Guards attended at his office and gave him the results of their tests. On the first test Guards Murphy and Daly returned the speed at 21 miles an hour—the exact speed at which the Inspector was travelling. On the second test they returned the speed at 26 mlies an hour, and on the third at 22.2 miles. Guard Webb, in his returns, showed the speed of the Inspector as 22.2 miles an hour on the first test, and 25.28 miles an hour on the second. He questioned the Guards, and they satisfied him that they had not been told the speed at which the car was travelling.

"The first test was absolute," added Mr. Cussen, "and it is, in my opinion, a matter of considerable public importance that motorists should now know that the speeds taken by the Guards are tested and are absolutely accurate."

MOTOR SUMMONS DISMISSED.

J. O'Connor, Wellington Cottage, Artane, was prosecuted for driving a motor car negligently at Clontarf on the 22nd September last, and knocking down Miss Corrigan, Healy street, and causing her serious injury. It was stated that Miss Corrigan was suffering from a double fracture of the skull, and was still in hospital.

Thomas Carrie, a tram motorman, stated that at Haddon road he saw a lady crossing the road and a motor car coming from the city. The lady had run down Haddon road to catch his car, and when she was about to board the car she was struck by the motor, which was travelling at about 15 miles an hour.

M. Macken, conductor of the tramcar, corroborated. He did not hear any horn sounded by the car, which, after the accident, stopped at a distance of about 35 yards.

Two eye-witnesses of the accident stated that the car was going at a moderate speed.

The defendant said that he sounded the horn before approaching Haddon road. He was travelling at a speed of 10 or 11 miles an hour. The lady was running very fast across the road, and he did his best to avoid her, but she struck the back door. He had accelerated the speed to get past her, and he contended that, if he had stopped dead, the lady would have been under the car.

Mr. Cussen held that there was no criminal negligence on the part of the defendant, and he dismissed the case, marking it, however, as a proper one to have been instituted.

THROUGH LETTER-BOX.

POSTMAN BITTEN BY DOG LEFT ALONE IN HOUSE.

Miss A. Gannon, Royal Canal road, was summoned for having allowed a dangerous dog to be "at large" at her residence.

It appeared that a postman who was delivering letters on putting his hand through the letter box found his fingers gripped by the dog. When he withdrew his hand he found that one of his fingers had been so seriously bitten that he would have to attend hospital for treatment.

The postman, T. Pemberton, in evidence, stated that there was no receptacle inside the door for the letters which he delivered.

The defendant stated that the postman was an hour late on the day in question, and that it was because she was convinced that he had passed that she went out, leaving the dog behind her.

Mr. Cussen said that the dog was not "at large," and that, therefore, he must dismiss the summons. This, however, need not prevent a claim from being brought in another way.

COAL DRAY IN CANAL.

FINES FOR ASSAULT AND INTIMIDATION.

(BEFORE MR. LITTLE.)

Five men, named Michael Barry, John Murphy, Matthew Whelan, James Moloney and Timothy Byrne, were charged with intimidating and assaulting employés of the Coal Merchants' Association and damaging sacks of coal at James's street.

A police constable stated that at about nine o'clock yesterday morning, when on duty in James's street, he telephoned for the police "flying squad" in consequence of information which he received. When the flying squad arrived they searched the district around Guinness's Brewery, and in Newport street found a coal cart overturned and coal strewn around the road. Further on they found more coal strewn about and saw the shafts of a dray cart sticking up out of the water in the canal. They arrested the prisoner John Murphy near Marrowbone lane.

Joseph Whelan, a former employé of Messrs. Wallace, said that he was driving the cart when he was attacked by about fifty men, who unyoked the horse and threw the dray into the water. He identified Murphy, Whelan and Moloney.

Francis Murphy and Francis Devlin gave evidence in support of the charge.

In the case of Barry, for whom Mr. Burne (instructed by Messrs. William Smith and Son) appeared, evidence was given that he took no part in the assault.

Mr. Little held that the offence was proved and fined each of the defendants 40s.

LEAD THIEVES SENTENCED.

Two youths, named John Donovan, Quirk's lane, off James's street, and Thomas Hardiman, 17 James's street, was each sentenced to two months' imprisonment on a charge of being illegally in possession of a quantity of lead.

It was stated that there had been four thefts of lead in the district recently.

BANK CLERK RETURNED FOR TRIAL.

ADMITS TAKING MONEY TO MEET PRESSING DEBTS.

At Wexford District Court, Justice Fahy returned William A. M'Eldowney, exchange clerk in the Bank of Ireland, Wexford, for trial to the Circuit Court on the charge of having embezzled £92 0s. 5d.

Mr. Robert Lloyd, Agent of the Bank of Ireland, deposed that the accused was an exchange clerk, and during June and September of the present year occupied the position of cashier during the absence of the latter.

Accused said that he took the sum mentioned and converted it to his own use in order to meet pressing debts. He intended to refund the money, and offered to do so to Mr. Lloyd when he received money which his father promised him.

Accused was admitted to bail, himself in £100 and sureties of £50 each.

While taking a horse from a stable, a farmer, David Arbuckle, Killymore, Newtownstewart, Co. Tyrone, dropped dead.

PHOSFERINE Relieves Nerve Strain of Driving Motor-Cars.

Mr. V. H. Gateley, Managing Director of the British Automobile Schools, *writes* :—

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From Chemists. Liquid and Tablets. The 3/- size contains nearly four times the 1/3 size

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The following is being sent to all Members of the Dáil and the Seanad:—

Members of the Oireachtas.

REMEMBER THE UNEMPLOYED.

It is the clear duty of a Government to save from destitution every work-willing Citizen compulsorily unemployed.

Upon you, Members of the Oireachtas, falls the responsibility to see that the Executive Council provide MAINTENANCE for the Men and Women unable to find work. This can only be done BY A WIDE AND IMMEDIATE EXTENSION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT. The Men, Women and Children, who are now hungry, cannot wait till a general industrial development provides them with more work.

But MORE WORK MUST BE FOUND, and found quickly. Here are immediate and practical ways in which the Government can help:—

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Wrap up your old hat and post it to McKechnie's. Nobody will know it's not a brand new hat when it comes back

Ladies' Felts Cleaned and Re-Modelled, 3/-
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Serious, if not permanent, injury to the stomach lining is the result which is sure to follow if you use bi-carbonate of soda for indigestion. The soda habit is not only dangerous, but misleading; for, while it frequently stops the pain, it does not soothe and heal the inflamed stomach lining. Actually, it leaves the stomach weaker than before, and then larger quantities of acid collect, and your digestive troubles become more frequent and intense. Instead of inviting trouble by using soda, the next time you have indigestion take half a teaspoonful of "Bisurated" Magnesia in a little water. This is the safest, surest and quickest way to stop stomach pain, and not only does "Bisurated" Magnesia give instant relief, but it heals the inflamed stomach lining and prevents chronic gastric troubles developing. Soda is hardy, but "Bisurated" Magnesia is just as handy if you keep a package always by you, and for your health's sake you should never be without it. Get a package, either powder or tablets, from your chemist, and treat your indigestion in the safe, right way.

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One full bottle free for twelve empties, exchanged at 23 Great Ship St., Dublin.

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PROSPECTUS.

Preferential consideration will be given to applications from Shareholders, Customers and Employés of the Company and its Subsidiaries.

A Copy of this Prospectus has been filed with the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

The Subscription List will Open TO-DAY (TUESDAY), the 3rd day of November, 1925, and Close on or before next Tuesday.

Application has been made to the Committee of the Stock Exchange for special permission to deal in the Shares now offered for Subscription.

United Dairies Limited

(Incorporated under the Companies Acts 1908 and 1913.)

CAPITAL

Authorised.		Issued.
2,750,000	Six per cent. Non-Cumulative Preference Shares of £1 each	2,243,359
2,250,000	Ordinary Shares of £1 each	2,221,380
5,000,000		£4,464,739

The Preference Shares are preferential as to Dividend and Capital paid up, but do not confer on the holders any right to participate further in the profits or assets of the Company.

THE COMPANY HAS NOT ISSUED ANY DEBENTURES OR DEBENTURE STOCK.

ISSUE OF

500,000 Six per Cent. Non-Cumulative Preference Shares of £1 each at 20s. per share.

Payable as follows:—
On application 2s. per Share
On allotment 5s. per Share
On January 10th, 1926 5s. per Share
and the Balance on Feb. 10th, 1926 8s. per Share

The Shares may be paid up in full on allotment under a rebate at the rate of Two per cent. per annum.

The Shares now offered for Subscription will rank for Dividend on the full nominal amount thereof as from the 1st January, 1926.

Directors:

JOSEPH H. MAGGS, Rushall, Marlborough, Wilts (Chairman and Manager Director).
Colonel ARTHUR S. BARHAM, C.M.G., Hole Park, Rolvenden, Kent.
PERCY E. BUTLER, The Hill, Batheaston, Bath.
BEN DAVIES, Romney House, Sheldon Avenue, Hampstead Lane, N.6.
FRANK W. GILBERT, The Manor, Chellaston, Derby.
JOHN HOPKINS, 230 Walm Lane, Cricklewood, N.W.
LEONARD MAGGS, Seend Lodge, Seend, Wilts.
W. G. LANE, Lynwood, Totteridge, Herts.
JOHN S. LATHAM, Calcott House, Oatlands Chase, Weybridge.
JOHN F. PHILLIPS, 39 Leigham Court Road, Streatham, S.W.16. } Manager Directors
W. D. POCOCK, Bolingbroke, The Mall, Ealing, W.5. } Manager Directors
Sir WILLIAM PRICE, J.P., Westfield, Hendon Avenue, Finchley, N.
JOHN E. WIDGERY, Ellesmere Lodge, Hollybush Road, Snaresbrook, Essex.

Bankers:
LLOYDS BANK LIMITED, 72 Lombard Street, E.C.3, and Branches.
BARCLAYS BANK LIMITED, 54 Lombard Street, E.C.3, and Branches.

Solicitor:
C. L. MAC ANDREW, 31 St. Petersburgh Place, Bayswater, W.2.

Brokers:
W. GREENWELL & CO., 2 Finch Lane, E.C.3.

Auditors:
PEAT, MARWICK, MITCHELL & CO., 11 Ironmonger Lane, E.C.2.

Secretary and Registered Offices:
JOHN BUTLER, A.C.A., 31 St. Petersburgh Place, Bayswater, W.2.

PROSPECTUS.

The Company was registered in 1915 with a capital of £1,000,000. The present capital is £5,000,000 of which 2,243,359 Six per cent. Preference Shares and 2,221,380 Ordinary Shares have been issued. Steps are being taken by the Company to increase its capital to £5,500,000 by the creation of 500,000 shares of £1 each.

In the first instance the Company acquired practically the whole of the issued capital of the following Wholesale Companies, namely:—
The Dairy Supply Co. Ltd.
The Great Western and Metropolitan Dairies Ltd. (now London Wholesale Dairies Ltd.)
Wilts United Dairies Ltd., which owns 89 per cent. of the issued capital of the Grande Compagnie Laitiere de Normandie.

Since then the Company's field of activities has largely increased, and now it also owns practically the whole of the issued capital of (amongst others) the following Companies, namely:—

Aylesbury Dairy Company Ltd.
Belgravia Dairy Company Ltd.
Curtis Bros. & Dumbrill Ltd.
Edwards & James Ltd.
Edwards and Sons, Ltd.
Eastern Counties Dairy Farmers Ltd.
R. Higgs & Sons Dairies Ltd.
W. & E. Long (Dairy Farmers) Ltd.
Long & Pocock Ltd.
Manor Farm Dairy Ltd.
J. Trigg & Son (Dairy Farmers) Ltd.
United Dairies (London) Ltd.
Welfords & Premier Dairies Ltd.
Welford & Sons Ltd.
Welford's Surrey Dairies Ltd.
} Retail Dairy Companies.

Axe Vale & Thames Valley Creameries Ltd.
Egginton Dairy Company Ltd.
Salter & Stokes Ltd.
West Cornwall Creameries Ltd.
} Wholesale Butter and Cream Merchants.

Edwards' Creameries Ltd. (Wholesale Cream Merchants).
Thew, Hooker & Gilbey Ltd. (Manufacturers of Malted Milk and Other Specialities).
United Dairies (Wholesale) Ltd. (The amalgamation of the Wholesale businesses of various Subsidiary Dairy Companies.)
Cremier Ice Cream Company Ltd.

In this Prospectus references to the Company's business are intended to refer to those of its Subsidiary Companies.

The Company's business comprises the principal Wholesale and Retail Milk businesses in London and Suburbs, Condensed Milk Factories, Creameries, Butter Factories, and the businesses of Provision Merchants, Manufacturers of Dairy Machinery and Utensils, Sawmills, etc. The Company manufactures Table Delicacies ("Diploma" Brand), and is proprietor of the well-known **Hooker's Malted Milk**. It controls, through its Retail Dairy Companies, 642 shops in London and Suburbs, Brighton, and Hove, whilst its Wholesale Companies operate 57 Condenseries and Creameries in England and Wales and two in Normandy.

The growth of the business has been continuous and the Company's progress can be readily seen from the following figures taken from the audited Balance Sheets for the last seven years:—

	Paid up Capital.	Net Profit.	To reserve.	Rate of Ord. Divd.	Carry Forward (subject to Excess Profits Duty if any)
	£	£	£		£
To 30th June 1919	2,430,681	233,444	—	10 %	84,923
" 30th " 1920	3,281,336	279,668	—	12½ %	102,509
" 30th " 1921	3,451,241	356,185	—	12½ %	132,719
" 30th " 1922	3,908,799	452,691	116,841	12½ %	101,311
" 30th " 1923	3,931,646	468,623	100,000	12½ %	101,544
" 30th " 1924	4,222,274	506,541	100,000	14 %	73,603
" 30th " 1925	4,464,652	509,145	150,000*	14 %	57,963

*Including premium on Shares less expense of issue.

The Reserve Fund now amounts to £500,000.

The Company's Accounts are made up to 30th June in each year, and include dividends of the subsidiary Companies to the previous 31st March.

During the past year considerable progress has been made with new Milk Bottling Depots of the Company. The Walton-on-Thames plant is completed and in full running; the Willesden plant (with private railway siding) is nearing completion, and Streatham should be finished by the end of the year. Further large plants are in hand for Forest Hill, Vauxhall, Ealing (with railway siding), Stroud Green, Croydon and Ilford. With the exception of Vauxhall, which is held on a long lease from the Southern Railway Co., these are the Company's freeholds.

Since January 1st, 1925, the Company has acquired or opened 18 additional retail milk depots in the London area.

The new Utensil Factory of the Dairy Supply Co. Ltd. at Park Royal has also been completed and is now in full operation, employing a staff of over 1,000.

The sales of the Subsidiary Companies for the trading year to March 31st, 1925, were over £1,250,000 in excess of those of the previous year, notwithstanding reduced selling prices of milk.

The purposes for which the new Capital is required are to erect and equip further depots, as mentioned above, for bottling milk, for the redemption of Welford & Sons Limited Debentures (£20,000) which mature on January 1st, 1926, and for the general purposes of the Company.

It will be seen from the figures given above, that on the basis of the past two years results, the dividend on the Preference Shares, including the present issue, is covered more than three times over.

By a contract dated the 26th October, 1925, and made between the Company and Messrs. W. Greenwell & Co., the whole of the shares now offered for subscription have been underwritten at a commission of 2 per cent. and an overriding commission of ½ per cent. on their issue price, both payable by the Company in cash. The Directors and their friends have sub-underwritten 150,000 Shares.

In June 1924 the Company offered for subscription 250,000 Preference Shares at par and 150,000 Ordinary Shares at 32/- per share. The whole of such shares were allotted and the amount paid on such shares, exclusive of premium, is £400,000. In respect of such issue the Company paid an underwriting commission of 2 p.c. and an overriding commission of ½ p.c. on the issue price of the shares.

Within the two years immediately preceding the issue of this Prospectus the Company has issued or agreed to issue the number of fully-paid Preference Shares and fully-paid Ordinary Shares of £1 each mentioned in the First Schedule hereto for the considerations therein mentioned. The Second Schedule hereto contains particulars as to purchases by the Company which have not yet been completed.

The Articles of Association provide that every member shall have one vote for every share held by him, but that every question submitted to a meeting shall be decided in the first instance by a show of hands.

Prints of the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company and Copies of the Contracts referred to above and in the Second Schedule can be inspected at the registered office of the Company 31 St. Petersburgh Place, Bayswater, W.2, on any day whilst the list is open, during usual business hours.

Brokerage at the rate of three halfpence per Share will be paid on shares allotted in response to applications bearing brokers' stamps other than in respect of underwriting.

Application will be made in due course to the London Stock Exchange for this issue to be added to the quotation in the official list.

Applications for shares should be made on the accompanying forms and sent to either of the Company's bankers, with a remittance for the amount payable on application. If no allotment is made the application money will be returned in full, and where the number of shares allotted is less than the number applied for, the balance of the application money will be applied towards the amount payable on allotment, and any excess refunded. Failure to pay any instalment when due, will render any previous payment liable to forfeiture, and the allotment to be cancelled. Interest at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum may be charged on any instalments in arrear.

Copies of the Prospectus and Forms of Application can be obtained from the Bankers, Solicitor or Brokers to the Company, or at its registered office.

Dated 2nd November, 1925.

THE SCHEDULES above referred to.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

200 Preference Shares for Shares in J. Richards Ltd.; 55,779 Preference Shares and 30,696 Ordinary Shares for Shares in the Belgravia Dairy Co. Ltd.; 83 Preference Shares for Shares in United Dairies (Wholesale) Ltd.; 6,400 Preference Shares for Shares in Sussex Dairy Co. Ltd.; 546 Preference Shares and 546 Ordinary Shares in consideration of Directors cancelling previous agreements with them as Managers and entering into extended restrictive covenants; 15 Preference Shares and 15 Ordinary Shares for Shares in the Aylesbury Dairy Co. Ltd.; 8,000 Preference Shares for leasehold premises No. 93 Albert Embankment; 782 Preference Shares for Shares in Welford & Sons Ltd.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

Dates of and Parties to Contracts, and Names and Addresses of Vendors to whom Purchase Consideration is Payable and the Amount of the Purchase Consideration.

24th July 1924—The Forest Hill Brewery Co. Ltd., of Forest Hill, Kent, and the Company, consideration £8,400 (completed) with option, since exercised, to acquire additional property for £7,000; 12th April 1920 and 31st July 1920—The London and South Western Railway Company of Waterloo, London and the Company, consideration two sums of £250 each for an option (since exercised) of taking a lease for 60 years at £400 per annum; 15th July 1921—Arthur Williams, The Briars, Belmont, Surrey, and the Company, consideration £1,750 for the benefit of an agreement dated 6th April 1921 made between The Keepers and Governors of the Possessions, Revenues and Goods of the Free Grammar School of John Lyon within the Town of Harrow-on-the-Hill, Middlesex, and the said Arthur Williams for a building lease for 99 years from 29th September 1920 at a rent after 25th March 1921 of £139 per annum; 19th May 1920—Harold John Colebrook, of 12 Norfolk Street, Strand, London, The Aquis Property Co. Ltd., of 10 Kingly Street, London, and the Company, consideration £4,000 paid to the said Harold John Colebrook for the benefit of an agreement dated 4th May 1909 made between the said Keepers and Governors and the Aquis Property Co. Ltd. (trustees for the said Harold John Colebrook) for lease for 99 years from 25th December 1906 at a rent after 29th September 1911 of £500 per annum; 27th October 1925—Ernest William Shackle, of Suttoncroft, Cookham, Berks, and the Company, consideration £475; 22nd October 1925—Welford Estates Ltd., of 277 Kentish Town Road, London, and the Company, consideration £5,900; 4th May 1925—William Childs, of Woodlands, Avery Hill Road, Eltham, and the Company, consideration £300; 24th September 1925—St. John Ernest Bowerbank Macglashan of 60 St. Helens Road, Hastings, and the Company, consideration £230; 22nd October 1925—Thomas John Thompson, of Hillingdon, Middlesex, and the Company, consideration £1,350; 30th September 1925—John Redler, of the Poplars, Bathpool, near Taunton, Christopher John Skinner Shapland, of The Croft, Long Ashton, Somerset, and Thomas Henry Skinner, of 65 Park Avenue, North Hornsey, and the Company, consideration £1,250; 18th September, 1925—Alfred Reynolds and Frederick Arthur Reynolds, both of 45 Great Tower Street, London, E.C. (a firm) and the Company, consideration £4,400; 3rd June, 1925—P. E. Brand Ltd., of Great Gearies, Ilford, Essex, and the Company, consideration £2,500; 10th June 1925—James Mundell, of 29 Cator Road, Sydenham, Kent, and the Company, consideration £2,250; 30th September 1925—Horace Merrick, of Halliford Farm, Shepperton, Middlesex, and J. Trigg & Son (Dairy Farmers) Ltd., of Walton on Thames, consideration £3,950; Part of the property comprised in this contract will be conveyed direct to the Company in consideration of the payment by the Company to Mr. Merrick of £800 part of the said sum of £3,950. No payment by or to J. Trigg & Son (Dairy Farmers) Ltd. has been or will be made in respect of the property so to be conveyed to the Company; 30th July, 1925—The Mayor, Aldermen and Burgesses of the County Borough of Croydon, of Croydon, Surrey, and the Company, consideration £2,260; 28th July 1925—The Commissioners of Church Temporalities in Wales, of 83 Eaton Place, S.W.1, and the Company, consideration £300; 17th October, 1925—Robert James Brice, of 22 Bell Lane, Hendon and Welford & Sons, Ltd., of 31 St. Petersburgh Place, Bayswater, consideration £2,800. Part of the property comprised in this Contract will be assigned direct to the Company in consideration of the payment by the Company to Mr. Brice of £1,000, part of the said sum of £2,800. No payment by or to Welford & Sons Ltd. has been or will be made in respect of the property so to be assigned to the Company; 29th October, 1925—Hammond William Crosse, of 27 & 29 High Street, Putney, Surrey, and John Frank Schilling (as agent for the Company), consideration £775; 29th October, 1925—Edward Mumford, of The Mullions, Parkway, Gidea Park, Essex and the Company, consideration £2,550; 24th September, 1925—Cecil Frank Hobday of Richmond, Surrey, and John Thomas Edwards (as agent for the Company), consideration £1,355, payable as to £1,200 to Stanley Harry Barwood of 80 Church Street, Portman Square, London and William Richard Ockerby, of 139 East Dulwich Grove, London, as to £150 to Henry Francis Garrett of Audley House, Margaret Street, London and as to £5 to the said Cecil Frank Hobday; 27th October, 1925—John Lawton Webster and Arthur Goulding both of 41 Moorgate, London, E.C. and the Company, consideration £900 half payable to each Vendor; letters dated 24th and 27th October, 1925—W. Butcher, Agent for J. M. Stainsforth, of 55 Grosvenor Road, Ilford and the Company, consideration £950. No portion of any of the above considerations is payable in respect of goodwill.

This form must be sent with remittance for the amount payable on application to Lloyds Bank Limited, 72 Lombard Street, E.C., or to Barclays Bank Limited, 54 Lombard Street, E.C., or any Branch of either of the Banks mentioned; and cheques to be made payable to "Bearer," and crossed. Any alteration from "Order" to "Bearer" must be initialled by the Drawer.

UNITED DAIRIES LIMITED.

ISSUE OF 500,000 PREFERENCE SHARES AT PAR.

APPLICATION FORM.
(To be retained by the Bankers.) No. ....

To the Directors of UNITED DAIRIES LIMITED.

GENTLEMEN,

Having paid to your Bankers the sum of £.................... being a deposit of 2/- per share on .... Preference Shares of £1 each in the above-named Company, I hereby request that you will allot to me that number of shares, and I hereby agree to accept the same or any less number that you may allot to me upon the terms of the Prospectus filed with the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies and the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company, and I authorise you to place my name on the Register of Members in respect of the shares allotted to me.

Name in full ....
(in Capital Letters)

Address (in full) ....

....

Description ....
(And where applicable, whether Mrs or Miss)

Dated .... November, 1925.

Signature ....

For time-saving purposes please complete the following:—
I at present hold .... Preference Shares and .... Ordinary Shares of the Company.

No receipt will be issued for payment on application, but an acknowledgment will be forwarded in due course, either by an allotment of Shares or by the return of the deposit.

FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES.

FINANCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

The Stock Exchange markets remained closed yesterday, as usual, on the first working day in November, and there are no transactions to record in public securities. The past account, which ended on Friday, has, like its predecessor, been a particularly active one, and the settlement arrangements, which commence to-morrow, are likely to occupy a large portion of members' time during the next two or three days. With the account out of the way an expansion of speculative activity is expected in some quarters, and if yesterday's municipal elections result in a rout of the Socialists and the return to power of the municipal reformers, pledged to economy and sound finance, a more confident feeling on the part of investors is likely to soon make itself apparent in gilt-edged and other high-class investment stocks.

TOERANGIE (SUMATRA) RUBBER AND PRODUCE ESTATES.

It is proposed to plant 800 acres in 1926, 600 in 1927, 500 in 1928 and 100 in 1929. It is estimated that the cost of bringing to maturity the areas above referred to should not exceed £45 per acre. The directors propose to create 100,000 new shares of £1 each, and to issue in the first instance to the shareholders 30,000 shares of £1 each—one for every five of the existing shares—at a premium of £1 per share. The company will then eventually have a total area, including new clearings on hand and proposed, of 5,300 acres of rubber, at an estimated capital cost of about £35 per acre.

EMPIRE PAPER MILLS.

The directors of the Empire Paper Mills (1922), Ltd., report that for the year ended July 31 last, after providing for depreciation, interest on the 6½ per Cent. Guaranteed Debentures, and interest on the 7 per Cent. Income Stock, and including the amount brought forward, the accounts show a balance of £35,913, which will be carried forward. Arrangements have been made for the repayment on February 1, 1926, of the whole of the 6½ per Cent. Guaranteed First Mortgage Debentures, and the official notice accompanying the report states that the Debentures will be redeemed at £102 per £100 Debenture or £51 per £50 Debenture. The register of holders will be closed on January 19, 1926, after which date no transfer can be made. Payment will be made by the Law Debenture Corporation, Ltd., 24 Old Broad street, London, E.C., to whom the holders should surrender their Debentures not less than three clear days before February 1, 1926. The half-year's interest to January 31, 1926, will be paid separately by cheque, which will be posted in the usual course, and interest will cease to be payable from that date.

WALL PAPERS' RESERVES.

An interesting dividend announcement is that of Wall Paper Manufacturers. The profits for the year to August 31 last amounted to £743,399, which compares with £751,852 in the previous year, when, however, there was included a special sum of £25,000 received in respect of a German claim. Profits actually earned were, therefore, higher. The dividend on the Deferred Shares is again 12½ per cent., while £200,000 has again been placed to reserve. This further demonstration of the determination of the Board to build up a strong reserve—£600,000 of the total of £700,000 having been set aside in the past three years—is worth the particular notice of shareholders who might have looked for a somewhat larger dividend. Their interests in the long run are certainly being well served by the introduction of this conservative policy.

THE WORLD'S COTTON.

The bulls of cotton have been grievously disappointed. Early in the season, in view of the small carry-over from last year, it was freely predicted that a world scarcity of cotton was likely. This might have occurred in the event of a poor American crop this year, but instead the crop appears likely to be well above the average, and Lancashire is now practically assured of plentiful cotton supplies, which in due course should mean stabilised prices for cotton goods and capacity to supply these at prices that will be within the purchasing power of Eastern markets. This is probably the last year in which Lancashire will be so largely dependent upon the production of the American cotton-fields. Empire cotton-growing is expanding rapidly, and at last week's Sudan Plantations meeting it was stated that that company alone now has nearly 100,000 acres in production. In South America great progress is being made, not only in Brazil, where the prospects of expansion are considerable, but in Peru and elsewhere.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

SOUTH CLARE RAILWAYS.—Report for year ended October 31, 1924, and accounts showing result of working for two months ended December 31, 1924, are now issued. The line was taken over by Great Southern Railways Company on January 1 last, in accordance with the Railways Act, 1924, and has been worked by them since. Amalgamation scheme provided that the persons who immediately before date of settlement (March 3, 1925), were registered holders of guaranteed shares in this company should become and be registered holders of £10 4 per cent. preference stock of the Great Southern Railways Company, in exchange for each £10 4 per cent. guaranteed share of this company. By arrangement with the Great Southern Railways, warrants for guaranteed dividend for five months to December 31, 1924, were posted to the proprietors in August last.

WEST CLARE RAILWAY.—Report for the year ended October 31, 1924, and statement of account showing the result of the working for the two months ended December 31, 1924, have now been issued. Line was taken over by Great Southern Railways Company on January 1 last, in accordance with the Railways Act, 1924, and has been worked by them since. Amalgamation scheme provided that persons who immediately before date of settlement (March 3, 1925), were the registered holders of guaranteed shares should, on and from that date, by virtue of scheme, become and be registered holders of £10 4 per cent. preference stock of the Great Southern Railways in exchange for each £10 4 per cent. guaranteed share of this company, and that they should accept and be deemed to have accepted the stock allocated to them under the scheme in substitution for the guaranteed shares so held by them. By arrangement with the Great Southern Railways, warrants for the guaranteed dividend for the five months to December 31, 1924, were posted to the proprietors in August last.

AGAR, CROSS AND CO.—Final dividend on Ord. of 6 per cent., free of tax, making 11 per cent., free of tax, for year, and bonus on Ord. for year of 5 per cent., free of tax, making total distribution 16 per cent., free of tax; leaving to carry forward £36,369. It is proposed that £225,000 of sum at credit of general reserve be capitalised, and as nearly as possible one fully-paid Ord. Share of £1 each be issued to holders of the Ord. Shares in respect of every two Ord. Shares held.

ABERDEEN TRUST CO.—Dividend on Pref. Stock for half-year ended September 30th at 4½ per cent. per annum, less tax, and on Ord. Stock at 4 per cent. actual, less tax, making 7 per cent. for the year.

ASSAM RAILWAYS AND TRADING CO.—Final dividend of 6 per cent. on the B Stock, making 9 per cent. for the year.

BUENOS AIRES CENTRAL RAILWAY.—Board propose to distribute 5 per cent. to reserve fund, $126,638.46; 5 per cent. to Board, $126,638.46; 6 per cent. to shareholders, $1,353,900.00, and balance carried forward $58,470.70.

BRITISH PISTON RING.—Dividend of 10 per cent., less tax, on Ord. shares.

BANTARDAWA RUBBER.—Dividend at rate of 7½ per cent.

BACKUS AND JOHNSTON'S BREWERY.—Dividend of 7 per cent., less tax, on £110,000 Ord. Stock.

CHARTERLAND AND GENERAL EXPLORATION AND FINANCE CO.—Interim dividend on account of the year ending 31st May, 1926, of 10 per cent., less tax.

DEKHARI TEA CO.—Interim dividend of 10 per cent., less tax.

DINDINGS RUBBER.—Interim dividend of 6 per cent., less tax.

ELMSHURST (CEYLON) TEA AND RUBBER ESTATES.—Final dividend of 20 per cent., making 30 per cent. for the year.

MESSRS. WILLIAM COWAN AND CO., BELFAST.—The following dividends were declared: A dividend on the Pref. shares at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum (less income tax) for the half-year ending 30th September last, and a dividend on the Ord. shares at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum (free of income tax) for the half-year ending 30th September last.

METROPOLITAN MARKETS COLD STORAGE.—Dividend of ½ per cent. for the year ended June 30th, 1925. This will be the first dividend in fifteen years, the last payment being 1 per cent. in respect of the year June 10th, 1910.

ROCHDALE AND MANOR BREWERY.—Final dividend at 15 per cent. per annum, making for the year 10 per cent.

SOUTH DURHAM STEEL AND IRON CO.—Dividend of 10 per cent., less tax, on Ord. shares for the year ended 30th September, 1925.

"SANITAS" CO.—Interim dividend at rate of 9 per cent. per annum on Pref. Shares.

VICTORIA WINE.—Interim dividend of 5 per cent., less tax. The company has made its first annual redemption, having redeemed and cancelled £7,400 of its recent Debenture issue. The company paid a dividend of 5 per cent. for the year ended 28th February, 1925.

WILLIAM CORY AND SON.—Interim dividend of 5 per cent., less tax, on the Ord. shares and Employés shares on account of the year ending 31st March, 1926.

BANK OF IRELAND.

DUBLIN BANKS' CLEARING RETURN.

Week ended		Last Year.	—Decrease.
	£	£	£
Oct. 31...	4,980,300	5,201,900	—221,600
44 weeks to same date	223,716,300	236,319,600	—12,603,300

LONDON MONEY MARKET.

LOANABLE CREDITS SCARCE

There were some large disbursements yesterday, including the dividends on the 4 p.c. Funding Loan and other Government Securities, the total payments amounting to £17,350,000. The full effect of these, however, was not felt yesterday, partly owing to the Stock Exchange being closed, and, as there was also no Treasury bill maturities, money continued in good demand. The moderate amount due at the Bank had to be renewed, and in addition a further small sum was borrowed, and a few bills were discounted at the central institution. Short loans as a rule commanded 4 p.c. and upwards, and there was very little offering below 3¾ p.c. Discount business remained very quiet, owing to the scarcity of money, and fine three months' bank bills were quoted at 3⁴⁵⁄₆₄-3⅞ p.c. Two months' drafts were called 3⁴⁵⁄₆₄ p.c., four months 3⅞-3⁴⁵⁄₆₄ p.c., and sixes 4-4⅛ p.c. The "hot" Treasuries were offered at 3⁴⁵⁄₆₄ p.c. to ¹⁄₃₂ over.

Bank Rate Discount (changed Oct. 1, 1925.)			4%			
60 days (fine)		3⁷⁄₁₆%				
3 months	3⁴⁵⁄₆₄	3⅞%	Trade	4	4½%
4 months	3⅞	3⅞%	"	4¼	4¾%
6 months	4	4⅛%	"	4½	5 %
Loans to brokers day-to-day				4½	3¾%
" " for a week				3½	3 %
Deposit allowance: Banks at call					2 %
Discount houses at call					2 %
" at notice					2¼%

The Silver market was easy, prices declining ¼d. to 32⅜d. for spot and 32¼d. per oz. for forward delivery, owing to selling on China account. The market closed uncertain. The price of gold was raised ½d. to 84s. 11d. per oz., the available supplies having been taken for New York. Bar gold, valued at £200,000, was bought, and bar gold, valued at £180,000, was sold at the Bank of England.

Sterling in New York made some recovery, the closing rate of slightly over 4.84⅜ showing an advance of over ⅛c. French francs were worse at 116.40, showing an adverse movement to France of 90c., but the Belgian currency was a trifle better at 106.95, and lire made some recovery. Pesetas and the Scandinavian currencies moved in our favour, but those of Rumania and Bulgaria improved, while the Greek drachmæ was a good deal better at 355. Most of the South American exchanges were firm. Among the Eastern exchange rates Hong Kong and Shanghai were both ¼d. lower, but the Japanese yen further advanced ¹⁄₁₆d. to 1s. 8⅜d.

—	Nov. 2. Highest and Lowest.		Oct. 31. Closing Rates.		Par Rate
Amsterdam	12.03¾	12.04	12.03⅞	12.04⅛	12.10
B. Ayres	46⅜	46½	46⅜	46½	47.58
Barcelona	33.84	33.86	33.79	33.81	25.22
Berlin	20.33	20.35	20.34	20.35	20.40
Brussels	106.90	107.00	106.95	107.05	25.22½
Calcutta	1/6⁵⁄₁₆		1/6⁵⁄₁₆		2/0
Copenhagen	19.32	19.38	19.34	19.38	18.15
Finland	192	192½	192⅛	192½	25.22½
Geneva	25.13½	25.14½	25.13½	25.14½	25.22
Greece	355	359	363	368	25.22½
Italy	131¼	122	122¾	122¼	25.22½
Kobe (p.yn.)	1/8⅜		1/8¹¹⁄₃₂		24.58d.
Madrid	33.80	33.85	33.79	33.82	25.22½
Montreal	4.83½	4.84	4.83⅞	4.83⅞	4.86
Montevideo	50½d.	51d.	50½d.	50⅞d.	51d.
New York	4.84⅛	4.84⅜	4.84⅛	4.84⅜	4.86
Oslo	23.72	23.76	23.70	23.75	18.15
Paris	115.10	116.50	115.45	115.55	25.22
Prague	163⅛	163⅞	163⅞	163⅞	24.02
Rio de Jan.	7⅛	7⅛	7¼	7⅛	16d.
Shanghai	3/2		3/2¼		—
Singapore	2/4⅛		2/4⅛		2 4⅛
Stockholm	18.09⅛	18.10½	18.09⅛	18.10½	18.15
Vienna	34.35	34.39	34.33	34.38	34.58½
Warsaw	28½	29½	28½	29¼	25.22½

RUBBER CROPS FOR OCTOBER.

Langkon North Borneo, 31,000; North Borneo State, 19,000.

LONDON METALS MARKET.

TIN QUIETER.

The market for TIN displayed quieter features, and sellers more inclined to press in view of weaker Eastern advices, though movements were attended by some irregularity. On balance cash declined 15/- and forward 25/- per ton compared with the closing rates of last week. Standard cash quoted £285 10/- to £285 15/-, three months £283 10/- to £283 15/-; settlement price £285 10/-. Sales amounted to 525 tons, comprising cash at £284 10/-, three months £284, £284 10/-, £283, and finally registered at £283 15/-; English quoted £285 10/- to £285 15/-. COPPER steadier, and a good business transpired, cash being 5/- and forward 7/6 per ton dearer on balance. Standard cash quoted £62 7/6 to £62 10/-, three months £63 7/6 to £63 10/-; settlement price £62 7/6. 1,200 tons changed hands; cash at £62 7/6, three months £63 5/-, £63 6/3 and £63 7/6; electros quoted £68 10/- to £69, wire bars £69. LEAD steady, with dealings on a liberal scale. 1,000 tons sold; good soft foreign pig Nov. at £38 5/- to £38 7/6, Jan. £37 10/-, £37 7/6 and £37 6/3, Feb. £37 2/6; settlement price £38 5/-; English quoted £39 10/-. SPELTER firmer, and a fair business resulted. 700 tons sold; Nov. at £39 16/3, £39 17/6, and again at £39 16/3, Jan. £39 5/-, Feb. £39 2/6 to £39 1/3; settlement price £39 15/- per ton. TINPLATES, also QUICKSILVER, unaltered.

GLASGOW IRON AND STEEL.—Feeling in Scotch steel better. Some good contracts placed for structural steel. Steel plates slow owing to dull shipbuilding quoted £7 15/- to £7 17/6 f.a.b. Rerolled steel in improved request. Export, however, suffers from Continental competition. David Colville and Sons, Glengarnock, purpose relighting four furnaces, chiefly for production of foundry iron.

AUSTRALIAN WOOL SALES.

SYDNEY, Monday.

The tenth series of wool sales closed here to-day, when 9,563 bales were offered, of which 9,182 were sold. Private sales consisted of 2,500 bales. There was a good selection, and the market was exceptionally strong at the best of last week's rates. French and German competition for wool showing fineness was very keen. Germany also eagerly sought skirtings. Yorkshire operators were very active in all lines suitable for their requirements. Greasy merino realised 30d.

BRISK BUYING IN MELBOURNE.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

At the wool sales here to-day 6,680 bales were offered for sale. There was a good average selection and competition was remarkably keen. Continental, American, Yorkshire and Japanese buyers all operated freely. Ninety per cent. of the offerings were sold at prices fully in accord with those obtaining at the close of the October series.

AGRICULTURAL WORKERS IN ENGLAND.

THREE YEARS' RETURNS.

The agricultural returns of this year show that the number of workers employed on the agricultural holdings of England and Wales on 4th June was 803,287. This is 3,176 less than the number returned in 1924, but 30,900 more than in 1923.

The following table gives the detailed figures as returned in each of the last three years. It should be mentioned that the returns do not include the occupier or his wife, but include members of the occupier's family (sons, daughters, etc.), working on the holding. Domestic servants are not included:—

	1925.	1924.	1923
Regular Workers:			
Males, 21 years old and over	441,909	441,491	426,925
Males, under 21 years old	137,462	140,772	138,898
Women and Girls	59,938	62,276	59,477
Casual Workers:			
Males, 21 years old and over	90,869	88,553	79,099
Males, under 21 years	23,872	26,461	24,990
Women and Girls	49,237	46,930	42,998

The number of men returned as employed on June 4th, 1925, was rather larger than at the corresponding date in 1924, but there was a reduction in the number of boys and youths. The total of women and girls employed was practically the same as last year.

RABBIT FUR PRODUCTION.

DUBLIN EXHIBITOR'S SUCCESS.

At Leicester Mammoth Show dressed rabbit pelts produced by Mr. Robert Peat, Dublin, received the following awards:—Very highly commended, highly commended, and commended. He was also awarded reserve for a blue Beveren. This is believed to be the first venture by an Irish exhibitor at an English show. Mr. Peat made five exhibits. The first prize skin at the show was a blue Beveren, a Havana and a white Beveren getting second and third respectively. Mrs. Chavasse was the judge.

DUBLIN SHIPPING REPORT.

Wind and Weather—Southerly wind; light breeze; fine.

Coastwise Arrivals—Ss. Slievemore, ss. South Stack, from Holyhead, with goods; ss. Oneida, from Barrow, with motor spirit; ss. Tynan, from Garston, with coals.

Foreign Departure—Ss. Dunmore Head, of Belfast, 1,056 tons register (Captain Pinkerton), for Hamburg and Bremen, via Belfast, with part cargo (general).

Coastwise Departures—Ss. Lady Louth, for Liverpool, with passengers and goods; ss. Yarrow, for Silloth, with passengers and goods; ss. Tiger, for Glasgow, with passengers and goods; ss. Brier, for Heysham, with passengers and goods; ss. Slievemore, ss. South Stack, for Holyhead, with goods; ss. Elwy, for Malahide, with coals; ss. Ruby, for Barry, light; ss. Mary Summerfield, for Garston, light; ss. Miriam Thomas, ss. Staffa, for Barrow, light.

PROSPECTUS.

Ulster Loans 4½ % Stock, 1945-1975.

ISSUE of £2,000,000,

Of which £1,000,000 will be allotted to various Funds administered by Departments of the Government of Northern Ireland.

PRICE OF ISSUE, £93 per cent.

Payable as follows:—
On Application .... £5 per cent.
On 14th December, 1925 ...... £88 " "
£93 per cent.

Interest payable 1st June and 1st December. A full six months' interest payable 1st June, 1926.

The Stock is a Trustee security in Great Britain and Northern Ireland by virtue of Section 33 of the Government of Ireland Act, 1920, and may be purchased by Trustees in accordance with the provisions of the Trustee Act, 1893.

The MIDLAND BANK, LTD, 5 Threadneedle Street, London, E.C.2, and the BELFAST BANKING COMPANY, LTD., 2 Waring Street, Belfast, are authorised to receive applications for the above Stock to be created by the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland under the Government Loans and Exchequer Provisions Act (Northern Ireland) 1925.

The Stock is redeemable at par on the 1st of June, 1975, the Government of Northern Ireland having the option of redemption at par, in whole or in part, on or after the 1st of June, 1945, on giving three calendar months' notice.

The Stock will be registered at the Midland Bank Ltd., London, or at the Belfast Banking Co. Ltd., Belfast, and will be transferable in any amount free of charge between the London and Belfast Registers.

The Stock will be transferable by Deed in any amount, and all Transfers and Stock Certificates will be free of Stamp Duty and Registration Charges.

Interest on the Stock will be payable half-yearly on the 1st June and 1st December. The first payment of Interest will be made on the 1st June, 1926 and will be for a full six months' interest. Interest Warrants will be transmitted by post. In the case of joint accounts the Warrants will be forwarded to the person first named in the account unless instructions to the contrary be given.

The proceeds of the Issue will be paid into the Government Loans Fund established under the control of the Ministry of Finance and will be utilised in providing moneys for loans of the following nature and for the repayment of temporary borrowings already made for such purposes:—

i. To Local Authorities for works of public utility—secured by mortgages on local rates;

ii. To the Claims Fund for the payment of compensation in respect of the abolition of certain licences for the sale of intoxicating liquor pursuant to the Intoxicating Liquor Act (Northern Ireland) 1923—secured by an annual statutory levy on holders of the remaining licences;

iii. To the Exchequer of Northern Ireland to provide for (a) Grants under the Housing Acts (Northern Ireland) 1923-25, to persons constructing houses or to local authorities carrying out schemes for the provision of houses; (b) the cost of the purchase, erection or reconstruction of land and buildings for the use and accommodation of the Royal Ulster Constabulary; and (c) for any further expenditure of a capital nature which may from time to time be authorised by Act of Parliament. Advances made under this paragraph will be repayable to the Fund by means of terminable annuities out of moneys provided by Parliament.

The Principal and Interest of Ulster Loans Stock are charged upon the Government Loans Fund and, if such Fund is insufficient, upon the Consolidated Fund of Northern Ireland to the extent of any such insufficiency.

On the present basis of taxation the annual revenue of Northern Ireland amounts to £10,500,000, of which 80 per cent. is levied and collected under the direct control of the Parliament of the United Kingdom. Each year since the establishment of the Government of Northern Ireland in 1921, the Exchequer Account has shown a surplus, and a statutory contribution has been made towards Imperial Services (*i.e.*, National Debt, Army and Navy, War Pensions, etc.) amounting up to date to the sum of £18,000,000.

Applications, which must be accompanied by a Deposit of £5 per cent., will be received at the Midland Bank Ltd., 5 Threadneedle Strer London, E.C.2, or the Belfast Banking Company Ltd., 2 Waring Street, Belfast, or The Clydesdale Bank Ltd., Glasgow, or the North of Scotland Bank Ltd., Aberdeen, or at any of the Branches of these Banks.

Applications must be in multiples of £50. No allotment will be made for a less amount than £50. In case of partial allotment, the balance of the amount paid as deposit will be returned to the applicant.

Scrip Certificates to Bearer will, if desired, be issued in exchange for Allotment Letters, and such Certificates, when paid in full, will be convertible into Stock on presentation at the Midland Bank Ltd., London, or the Belfast Banking Co. Ltd., Belfast.

Instalments may be paid in full after allotment, and discount at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum will be allowed from 16th November, 1925, or from any subsequent date. In case of default in the payment of the final instalment at its proper date, the deposit previously paid will be liable to forfeiture.

A commission of 5s. per £100 Stock will be paid to Bankers and Stock Brokers on Allotments made in respect of applications bearing their stamp.

Prospectuses and Application Forms may be obtained at the MIDLAND BANK LTD., 5 Threadneedle Street, London, E.C.2, the BELFAST BANKING CO. LTD., 2 Waring Street, Belfast, or THE CLYDESDALE BANK LTD., Glasgow, or the NORTH OF SCOTLAND BANK LTD., Aberdeen, or at any of the Branches of these Banks; and of Messrs. R. NIVISON & CO., Bank Buildings, Princes Street, London, E.C.2.

The List of Applications will be Closed on or before Thursday, 5th November, 1925.

Midland Bank Ltd., London.
Belfast Banking Co. Ltd., Belfast.
30th October, 1925.

THIS FORM MAY BE USED.
No. ....

ULSTER LOANS 4½ PER CENT. STOCK, 1945-1975.

ISSUE OF £2,000,000.

To
MIDLAND BANK LTD., 5 Threadneedle street, E.C.2;
BELFAST BANKING CO. LTD., 2 Waring street, Belfast;
THE CLYDESRALE BANK LTD., Glasgow;
NORTH OF SCOTLAND BANK LTD., Aberdeen,
As Bankers to this Issue

Gentlemen,
I/we hereby apply for:—
*£.............. (say .... pounds) (see note below) of the ULSTER LOANS 4½ PER CENT. STOCK, 1945-1975, according to the conditions contained in the Prospectus of the 30th October, 1925, and undertake to accept the same or any less amount that may be allotted to me/us and to pay for the same in conformity with the terms of the said Prospectus.

I/we enclose the required deposit of £.............., being £5 per cent. on the nominal amount applied for.

Ordinary Signature ....

Full Name ....
(In block capitals.)
(State whether Mrs. or Miss, and Title, if any).

Address ....

....

Date, 1925

Please write distinctly.

This Form must be filled up and sent to Midland Bank Ltd., 5 Threadneedle street, London, E.C.2, or Belfast Banking Company, Ltd., 2 Waring street, Belfast, or The Clydesdale Bank Ltd., Glasgow, or North of Scotland Bank Ltd., Aberdeen, or any of their respective Branches, with a cheque payable to "Bearer" for the amount of the deposit. Cheques must be crossed, and any alterations from "Order" to "Bearer" must be signed by the drawer.

*No application must be for less than £50, and all applications must be in multiples of £50.

No receipt will be issued for payment on application, but an acknowledgement will be forwarded in due course either by Letter of Allotment or by return of Deposit.

PROSPECTUS.

A Copy of this Prospectus has been filed with the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

The Subscription List will OPEN TO-DAY (TUESDAY), the 3rd day of NOVEMBER, 1925, And will CLOSE on or before THURSDAY NEXT, the 5th day of NOVEMBER, 1925.

British Rubber & General Trust, Limited.

(Incorporated under the Companies Acts, 1908 to 1917.)

CAPITAL - - - £500,000,

DIVIDED INTO 500,000 SHARES OF £1 EACH.

Issue of 300,000 Shares of £1 each,

WHICH ARE NOW OFFERED FOR SUBSCRIPTION AT PAR.

Payable as follows:—
2/6 per Share on Application.
7/6 per Share on Allotment.
10/- per Share on the 15th day of January, 1926.

DIRECTORS:

Sir ERNEST WOODFORD BIRCH, K.C.M.G., 18 The Grove, Boltons, London, S.W.10, Chairman Pegoh, Limited; Chairman Dusun Durian Rubber Estate, Limited.
Sir ALAN H. BURGOYNE, M.P., Finchers House, Amersham, Bucks., Director Army and Navy Co-Operative Society, Limited.
SIDNEY G. CHAMBERLAIN, Fairleigh, Caversham, Oxon., Director Haydella Tea and Rubber Estates, Limited.
PATRICK GOW, Westwood, Windlesham, Surrey, Chairman Equatorial Rubber Trust, Limited; Director Merlimau Rubber Estates, Limited.

BANKERS:
LLOYDS BANK LIMITED, 72 Lombard street, London, E.C.3, Covent Garden, W.C.2, and Branches.
NATIONAL PROVINCIAL BANK, LIMITED, 15 Bishopsgate, London, E.C.2, and Branches.

SOLICITORS:
MAYO, ELDER & CO., 10 Drapers Gardens, London, E.C.2.

BROKERS:
E. N. VOWLER & CO., 28 Throgmorton street, London, E.C.2, and Stock Exchange.
DAVID Q. HENRIQUES & CO., 13 Pall Mall, Manchester, and Stock Exchange, Manchester.

AUDITORS:
DELOITTE, PLENDER, GRIFFITHS & CO., Chartered Accountants, 5 London Wall Buildings, London, E.C.2.

SECRETARY AND REGISTERED OFFICES:
J. P. STEACY, 3 & 4 Lothbury, London, E.C.2.

PROSPECTUS.

The Company has been formed for the purpose specified in the Memorandum of Association, including more particularly to carry on a Financial and Investment business mainly in connection with Rubber, Tea and other Tropical products and with Companies or owners engaged in the cultivation of same.

Capital can be profitably employed in connection with well conditioned Rubber and Tea Estates, and in the flotation and financing of plantation Companies capitalised on a reasonable basis.

Particular consideration will be given to business connected with good producing Estates in Ceylon, Malaya and other recognised Rubber and Tea producing countries.

The large increase in the consumption of rubber during past years is well known. During the current year consumption for the first six months was at the rate of **560,000** tons per annum, as compared with **330,000** tons during 1919 and **120,000** tons in 1914.

Mr. A. W. Still, the well-known authority, in his valuable paper on **"The Imperial Value of the Rubber Industry,"** read by him in Penang during July last, estimates a shortage in the year 1929 over the full capacity production of the world from existing sources of supply amounting to **62,010** tons, and the shortage upon the same capacity of production in 1932 at **268,416** tons. In his opinion it means planting no less than three million acres to meet the threatened shortage, and he points out that there are vast areas in the Dutch Indies suitable for rubber growing.

Apart from the experience which certain members of the Board have in the Rubber and Tea Producing Industry, it is the intention of the Board, when necessary, to obtain the best expert advice on behalf of the Trust prior to any investments or commitments being accepted or undertaken.

Apart from the Underwriting Contract, referred to below, and the commission payable thereunder, no Contracts have been entered into and no promotion money has been or will be paid. Subject only to the payment of the preliminary expenses, the whole of the proceeds of this issue will be available for the Company's purposes.

The minimum subscription on which the Directors may proceed to allotment has been fixed by the Articles of Association at the nominal amount of seven shares, but the whole of this Issue has been underwritten for a total commission of five per cent.

The qualification of a Director is the holding of Shares in the Company of the nominal value of at least £100.

The Company's Articles of Association contain the following provisions as to the remuneration of the Directors:—

87. The Directors (other than a Managing Director) shall be paid out of the funds of the Company remuneration for their services at the rate of £500 per annum for the Chairman, and £400 per annum for each other Director. The Directors shall also be entitled by way of further remuneration for each year in respect of which a dividend at the rate of not less than 10 per cent. has been declared and paid upon the Ordinary Shares of the Company for the time being issued, to a sum equal to 5 per cent. of the net profits of the Company for such year as shown in the Company's audited Profit and Loss Account for that year. Such further remuneration as aforesaid shall not in any one year exceed the sum of £2,500, except with the sanction of a resolution of the Company in General Meeting, and shall be divided between the Directors as they may by resolution determine, and in default of such determination within the year, shall be divided between them in equal shares. The Directors shall also be entitled to be paid their reasonable travelling and hotel and other expenses incurred in consequence of their attendance at Board Meetings, and otherwise in the execution of their duties as Directors. The Company in General Meeting may from time to time and at any time increase the remuneration by this Article provided.

100. The remuneration of a Managing Director shall from time to time be fixed by the Board of Directors, and may be by way of fixed salary or commission on dividends, profits or turnover of the Company or of any other Company in which the Company is interested or by participation in any such profits, or by all or any of the modes, and such remuneration may be either in addition to or in substitution for his remuneration as a Director.

110. If any Director, being willing, should be called upon to perform extra services, or to make any special exertions in going or residing abroad or otherwise for any of the purposes of the Company, such Director may be remunerated either by a fixed sum, or by a percentage of profits or otherwise as may be determined by the Directors, and such remuneration may be either in addition to or in substitution for his remuneration above provided, or his remuneration under his contract (if any) with the Company.

The preliminary expenses are estimated at £12,500, in addition to the brokerage and underwriting Commission.

The Underwriting Contract referred to is dated 29th October, 1925, and is made between this Company and British and Allied Investments Corporation, Limited, of 3/4 Lothbury, London, E.C.2, whereby the subscription of the whole of this issue is guaranteed in consideration of an underwriting commission of 3¾ per cent. and an overriding commission of 1¼ per cent. Various sub-underwriting contracts have been entered into, to which this Company is not a party.

The contents of the Memorandum of Association and the names, descriptions and addresses of the Signatories, and the number of Shares subscribed for by them, will be found on the back of and form part of the Prospectus.

Copies of the Memorandum and Articles of Association and of the above-named Contract can be seen at the Registered Offices of the Company at any time during business hours while the subscription list is open.

A brokerage of 3d. per Share will be paid by the Company on all Shares allotted on applications bearing a Broker's or recognised Agent's stamp.

Applications for Shares should be made on the form accompanying the Prospectus, and sent to the Company's Bankers, together with a remittance for the amount payable on application.

Where no allotment is made, the application money will be returned in full, and where the number of Shares allotted is less than the number applied for, the balance of the application money will be applied towards the amount due on allotment, and any balance remaining will be returned. Interest at the rate of £10 per cent. per annum will be chargeable on all overdue amounts, and failure to pay any instalment or calls on any Shares allotted, when due, will render the Shares and previous payments liable to forfeiture.

Application will be made in due course to the Committee of the London Stock Exchange for permission to deal in the Shares of the Company, and subsequently for an official quotation of the Shares.

Prospectuses and Forms of Application for Shares can be obtained from the Company's Bankers, Brokers, Solicitors, and at the Registered Offices of the Company.

London, the 31st day of October, 1925.

THIS FORM OF APPLICATION MAY BE USED.

This form to be sent, with the deposit on the number of Shares applied for, to LLOYDS BANK LIMITED, 72 Lombard street, London, E.C.3, or Branches; or to NATIONAL PROVINCIAL BANK LIMITED, 15 Bishopsgate, London, E.C.2, or Branches.

BRITISH RUBBER AND GENERAL TRUST,

LIMITED.

(Incorporated under the Companies Acts, 1908 to 1917.)

SHARE CAPITAL .... £500,000.
Divided into 500,000 Shares of £1 each.

ISSUE OF 300,000 SHARES OF £1 EACH AT PAR.
FORM OF APPLICATION.

(No. 38).

To the Directors of
BRITISH RUBBER AND GENERAL TRUST, LIMITED,
3 & 4 Lothbury, London, E.C.2.

GENTLEMEN,—Having paid to your Bankers the sum of £...................., being a deposit of 2s. 6d. per Share payable on application for.................... Shares of £1 each in the above-named Company, I/we request you to allot to me/us that number of Shares, and I/we hereby agree to accept the same or any less number that you may allot to me/us upon the terms of the Company's Prospectus filed with the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies and the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company, and I/we undertake to pay the further instalments as provided by the said Prospectus, and I/we authorise you to place my/our name(s) on the Register of Members of the Company in respect of the Shares allotted to me/us.

USUAL SIGNATURE ....

SURNAME (IN BLOCK LETTERS) ....

CHRISTIAN NAME(S) ....

ADDRESS (IN FULL) ....

....

DATE ....

OCCUPATION ....
(If a Lady, state whether Married, Widow or Spinster.)

PLEASE WRITE DISTINCTLY.

Cheques should be made payable to LLOYDS BANK LIMITED, or Bearer; or to NATIONAL PROVINCIAL BANK LIMITED, or Bearer, and crossed "A/c BRITISH RUBBER AND GENERAL TRUST, LIMITED—NOT NEGOTIABLE." If altered from "Order" to "Bearer" the alteration should be signed by the Drawer.

An acknowledgment will be forwarded in due course either by Allotment Letter or return of the deposit.

AUTOMATIC FOG SIGNALLING.

NOVEL APPARATUS AT DUBLIN PORT.

"Automatic Fog Signalling in the Port of Dublin" was the subject of a paper, by Professor Dowling and Mr. J. Mallagh, B.E., which was read at a meeting of the Institution of Civil Engineers, in the Engineers' Hall, Dawson street, Dublin, last evening. The authors pointed out that among the most important services that had to be maintained by a sea port were those of lights, buoys and other signals that guided the mariner as he entered or left the port. For some time past satisfactory systems had been available for lighting and extinguishing the lamps of lighthouses. Automatic lighthouses had obvious advantages compared with attended ones, chiefly on the ground of economy of erection and maintenance. But where fog signals had to be installed, as in Dublin, no method had been devised whereby the onset of a fog caused the fog signal to act. Acting on the suggestion of their Engineer, Mr. Mallagh, the Dublin Port and Docks Board defrayed the expenses of the experiments which had resulted in a solution of the problem, and the Dublin Port is now the first place in the world where the lighthouse and fog signal service was completely automatic.

Professor Dowling described the form of the apparatus, at present in use, and showed it in action. The light from a tiny lamp was gathered by a large lens into a parallel beam, which crossed the river channel in an oblique direction, and fell upon a large lens-window in the wall of the lighthouse. The beam was thereby concentrated on a light-sensitive cell within the lighthouse, producing a minute electrical effect. The control apparatus magnified this effect, until a current large enough to operate a relay was produced. When the light-beam was weakened sufficiently by a fog, the relay current reversed, and closed an electric circuit, causing the powerful fog-signal machinery to operate. A special device prevented passing ships, puffs of smoke, seabirds and other transient interruptions from operating the apparatus, a persistent weakening of the light, due to fog along, having any effect. The apparatus was capable of operating without attention for months, and the original installation, after a year's service, was giving complete satisfaction.

An interesting discussion followed, in which Captain Clarke, Captain Webb, Messrs. Rushworth, Tatlow, Baird, and others took part.

Mr. Baird, as Chairman of the Port and Docks Board, complimented Professor Dowling and Mr. Mallagh, on what he described as their unique invention.

BELFAST RATES TOO HIGH.

TRADE AND INDUSTRY HANDICAPPED.

The Belfast and District Chamber of Trade at a meeting yesterday decided to send a strong deputation to the Finance Committee to again urge the importance of economy in civic administration, with a view to a lessening of city rate demands.

Mr. S. D. Bell, J.P., spoke of the effects of high rates on trade and industry, which were handicapped, and of the consequent increase of unemployment.

Mr. W. Alexander stressed the point that they should insist on all accounts being checked in the accountant's department.

WORK AMONG OUR MARINERS.

EXTENSION OF DUBLIN SAILORS' REST.

"Our Sailors at Home and Abroad" was the subject of an address by Dr. J. D. Gamble (Belfast) at the Dublin Rotary Club luncheon in Clery's Restaurant yesterday. Dr. Gamble is the secretary for Ireland of the British and Foreign Sailors' Help Society, and is, therefore, in close touch with the work that is being done to help sailors when they find themselves in difficulties ashore.

Dr. Gamble referred to the torpedoing of the Laurentic off the estuary of Lough Swilly in January, 1916. That fine ship, he said, carried nine millions in gold and 476 sailors on board, and out of that number only 121 escaped with their lives. The bodies of 75 men were washed ashore, and their funeral was attended by 120 of the survivors, and a most pathetic spectacle it was. The dangers of the deep were ever present, but the sailor was exposed in port to far more insidious danger from the operations of land sharks, who drugged and robbed them, and sometimes left them half-dead on the highway. It was to save men like these and to help their families that 107 years ago the British and Foreign Sailors' Help Society was founded. The Society had over one hundred Sailors' Rests all over the world, and they were affiliated to twenty other societies. In these Rests sailors received warm welcome, good food and clean beds; they were, in fact, a real home for Jack when he was away from home. The Dublin Home, only last Friday, received the crew of the stranded ship Hamburg.

HELP FOR SAILORS' FAMILIES.

There was also a Samaritan department, the object of which was to help sailors and their families to help themselves. During the war the cry was raised, "British boys for British ships," and now the Society had over one hundred boys from Ireland. The Rest in Dublin was much too small, but 20,000 sailors had used it last year. The Committee was extending the accommodation at a cost of £1,500. An English gentleman had given them a cheque for £700. They had got the balance, all but £80, and he hoped the Rotarians of Dublin would gather that sum for so deserving an institution.

Mr. Montgomery said that he happened to be the officer on watch when the Laurentic went down.

Major Bryan Cooper said that the Government had put up a sum of money with which to start a school for the training of sailors in Dublin. It would give Irish boys a good chance of getting into the mercantile marine.

A vote of thanks was passed to Dr. Gamble, and the mover and seconder expressed the belief that the appeal would be responded to.

DUBLIN COAL CARTERS ATTACKED BY MOB.

FIVE ARRESTS MADE.

Hostile crowds attacked four lorries laden with coal for Messrs. Wallace and Messrs. Flower and McDonald, coal merchants, as they were proceeding along Thomas street, Dublin, yesterday morning.

The crowd unyoked the horses from the vehicles, scattered quantities of the coal on the street, and then gave the four drivers a severe handling.

A party of policemen arrived in a motor car in response to a telephone call and, scattering the mob, arrested five of the ringleaders.

Other attacks on coal carters are reported from various parts of the city.

SLIGO VILLAGE TRAGEDY.

SCHOOL TEACHER AND WIFE FOUND DEAD.

On Saturday night inhabitants of the village of Ballisodare, County Sligo, heard noises in the house of Mr. John Corbett, who until recently was national school teacher in the village. They informed the Civic Guard who visited the house. Finding the outer doors locked, the Guards got in through the kitchen window, and made a search of the house.

Most of the doors in the place were locked, and had to be forced. In a bedroom on the second floor they found the body of Corbett. The throat and the arteries in both wrists had been cut. A razor lay near the body. In the drawing room on the ground floor they found the body of Mrs. Corbett with a gunshot wound in the head. A shot gun with an empty cartridge in it was lying in the hall.

At the inquest, which was held by Dr. P. M. Quinn, Coroner, yesterday, it appeared that Corbett shot his wife while in a fit of insanity, and then committed suicide, and the jury returned a verdict to this effect.

BELFAST HOUSING DIFFICULTY.

CORPORATION'S SCHEMES IN ABEYANCE.

THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE IN NEED OF HOMES.

FROM OUR BELFAST CORRESPONDENT.

The Belfast housing schemes are at present being delayed owing to the housing inquiry. There are about 10,000 applicants for new houses, but apparently nothing will be done to supply this need until the whole Housing Department of the Corporation has been reorganised.

"THE END OF ALL THINGS."

At the meeting of the Belfast Corporation yesterday, Alderman Sir Crawford McCullagh intimated that the Housing Committee were not prepared to proceed with the erection of more municipal houses at the moment. He hoped, however, at an early date to make a recommendation on the subject.

Councillor Midgley pointed out that at the last meeting of the Council an amendment proposed by him and seconded by Councillor McMullen was carried, which was an instruction to the Housing Committee to take such steps as might be deemed necessary to carry through the housing schemes that remained in abeyance. It was time that the ratepayers of Belfast knew that the Corporation had become so demoralised in the face of a frontal attack that they seemed to be able to do nothing with regard to housing. At the Whiterock site there were approximately 150 houses going to utter desolation for the simple reason that they could not get roofs on them.

Bricklayers and plasterers were going about idle and would leave the city if employment was not available. The consequence would be that in the future, whether the housing problem was tackled by private enterprise or by the municipal authorities, the labour question would be a serious one. He appreciated the efforts of all who had contributed directly or indirectly to the solution of the housing problem, but if the Housing Committee was going to be demoralised by what was happening, and if they were going to say, as a result of exposure, "This is the end of all things," he thought they should resign, and he would take over the housing problem himself. (Hear, hear.)

PUBLIC CONFIDENCE LOST.

The Lord Mayor said that there was no instruction to the Housing Committee to proceed with the erection of houses.

Councillor Midgley maintained that there was a definite instruction to proceed with the houses in abeyance.

Alderman Oswald Jamison said that the Whiterock houses were not roofed on account of a delay in getting slates, and the wood was being destroyed by the weather. With regard to future schemes, he personally felt that the Committee, to a great extent, had lost the confidence of the public with regard to the building of houses. He also felt that, having lost that confidence, they had no right to spend the public money on more houses—not until the department responsible for the houses was re-formed and a completely new organisation set up.

Alderman Sir Crawford McCullagh said that he had no desire to raise any discussion on the subject that day, though, no doubt, Councillor Midgley was perfectly honest in his point of view, and they had a deputation also from representatives of the trades unions, pointing out that certain houses were being damaged for want of slates, and urging the Committee to proceed with the Sea View and Whitewell extensions. The position, however, was this:—Before the Corporation could build any more houses the Corporation would have to decide upon a fixed policy. There were 10,000 applications for houses, and the building of even 1,000 houses was a terrible job. They had nobody to carry out further schemes. Would the Corporation ask Mr. Cutler to proceed with the preparation of further plans, and would Mr. Cutler be justified in accepting the responsibility? Certainly not. At the earliest possible moment the whole position would be submitted to the Corporation, and it would be for the Corporation to say if they could devise a means of carrying out further schemes or otherwise.

The matter dropped.

DIRECT METHODS AT LONGFORD.

LABOURERS ATTACK COUNTY COUNCILLORS.

Mr. Hugh Garahan, Chairman, and about twenty members of the Longford County Council met in the Council Chamber, Longford, on Saturday afternoon to consider the upkeep of the roads, and soon had objection to business than they heard loud knocking at the front door. The Secretary (Mr. McCann) on opening the door was told that a deputation desired to wait upon the Council. He replied that the meeting was a private one and that only members of the Council and officials could attend it. The man who had knocked at the door—a leader of the Direct Labour movement in the district—protested, and the Secretary locked the door.

Soon there was renewed knocking, this time at the back door, and a number of men of the labouring class attempted to enter the building. Within a few minutes the front door of the building was forced, and men rushed in, demanding to be heard. They told the Chairman that they wanted to be paid; but he explained that no money was then available, and he declared the meeting adjourned.

The spokesman of the invading party denounced the Chairman, and said—"It's a nice state of things in this country when a man that went out canvassing for the British Army at the time of the war can be made Chairman of an Irish Council."

Groups of the invaders from different parts of the hall then approached the members of the Council with threats and abusive language.

The Chairman was about to leave the hall when one of the invaders threw a missile, which hit him on the cheek and cut him. Others of the invaders seized ballot boxes and hurled them at members of the Council, who had to defend themselves with chairs. A great war was the din that Judge Wakely, who was sitting in the Record Court below the hall, had to suspend business.

Police, attracted by the sound of whistles, hurried to the Council Chamber and were followed by civilians. Some time passed before the police succeeded in clearing the chamber.

Hostilities were renewed on the steps before the hall, where one man was arrested. A doctor, summoned to attend him, had to put five stitches in a wound on his head. After a time, however, he was allowed to go home.

DUBLIN DISTRICT COURT ARRANGEMENTS.

SUCCESS OF THE NEW SYSTEM.

The new arrangements for dealing with business at the Dublin District Courts came into operation yesterday, and although one day's list of cases could not be regarded as a fair test, there was abundant indication of the fact that the new system is an improvement on the old. The chief feature of the change is that the old divisions of North and South courts disappear, and the former becomes the Custody Court and the latter the Summons Court. In addition, particular classes of cases are fixed for certain definite hours, so that in future people attending the Courts will be in a position to know at once which of the two Courts to attend and the hour to be present.

It is understood that the intention is to re-name the North Court No. 1 Court and the South as No. 2 Court, and the Children's Court as No. 3 Court.

Some indication of the success of the new arrangement is that at 1 o'clock yesterday Mr. Cussen, in the Summons Court, had dealt with 180 cases out of 196 on the books. The cases covered a wide variety of offences and were of a minor character.

Mr. Little, sitting in the old South Court and dealing with charge cases, had got through the bulk of the business by 1 o'clock.

The Chief Clerk (Mr. Stack) expressed the view that the new arrangements would prove most advantageous, and greatly facilitate the public and parties concerned.

SKERRY'S COMMERCIAL COLLEGE, 10 HARCOURT STREET, DUBLIN. Day and Evening Classes. Prospectus free. —(Advt.)

NEW BENCHERS AND BARRISTERS.

LARGE NUMBER OF CALLS.

The Benchers of King's Inns, Dublin, at their meeting in the Benchers' Chambers, Dublin Castle, yesterday elected Assistant Circuit Court Judge John H. Pigot, K.C., and Mr. John M. Fitzgerald, K.C., as members of the Society.

No fewer than thirty students of King's Inns, Dublin, were admitted to the Bar yesterday, 28 being "called" by the Chief Justice, in the Supreme Court, Dublin Castle, and two being admitted in *absentia*. This is an unusually large number of students to be "called" in one day, and it was remarked by an official yesterday that the number had not been exceeded since the present Chief Justice was himself "called," in the old Four Courts.

The new barristers, in order of "call," were:—

Mr. Richard McGonigal, B.Sc., eldest son of Mr. John McGonigal, K.C., of Windsor Gardens, Belfast. At the final examination in October Mr. McGonigal was awarded the John Brooke Scholarship of £50 per annum for three years, and was excused attendance at three terms of lectures and two terms of commons.

Mr. Patrick Aloysius Marrinan, third son of Mr. Patrick Marrinan, of Armagh. At the final examination Mr. Marrinan was awarded the Society's exhibition of £21 per annum for three years.

Mr. Maurice Danaher, M.A., LL.B., youngest son of the late Mr. William Philip Danaher, of Glenagower, Athea, Co. Limerick. At the final examination Mr. Danaher was awarded a first-class certificate of honour, and was excused attendance at three terms of lectures and two terms of commons.

Mr. Alfred Denis Pringle, Sch., Sen. Mod., B.A., LL.B., eldest son of the late Mr. Robert W. Pringle, B.L., of St. Philip's, Milltown, Co. Dublin. At the final examination Mr. Pringle was awarded a second-class certificate of honour, and was excused attendance at two terms of lectures and two terms of commons.

JUDGE PIGOT, K.C. MR. J. M. FITZGERALD,

Mr. William Denis Johnston, B.A., LL.B., only son of Mr. Justice Johnston, of Etwall, Lansdowne road, Co. Dublin, Judge of the High Court. At the final examination Mr. Johnston was awarded a second-class certificate of honour, and was excused attendance at two terms of lectures and two terms of commons.

Mr. Edward A. Cleary, second son of the late Mr. Peter Cleary, of 12 Annesley Park, Rathmines, Co. Dublin. At the final examination Mr. Cleary was awarded a second-class certificate of honour, and was excused attendance at two terms of lectures and two terms of commons.

Mr. William Boles, B.A., LL.B., eldest son of Mr. William Boles, merchant, of 83 Castle street, Belfast. At the final examination Mr. Boles was awarded a second-class certificate of honour, and was excused attendance at two terms of lectures and two terms of commons.

Mr. Joseph James Cooper, fourth son of Mr. Patrick Cooper, of Whitehead, Belfast. At the final examination Mr. Cooper was awarded a second-class certificate of honour, and was excused attendance at two terms of lectures and two terms of commons.

Mr. Michael O'Brien, B.A., youngest son of Mr. Patrick O'Brien, of Carragh, of lectures and two terms of commons.

Mr. Benjamin Lamb, eldest son of the late Mr. Benjamin Lamb, Belfast.

Mr. John James Houston, eldest son of Mr. Thomas Houston, of Craigmore Cottage, Bangor, Co. Down.

Mr. James Lawrence Smyth, first son of Mr. James Smyth, of 128 Lower George's street, Dun Laoghaire, Co. Dublin.

Mr. Patrick Joseph McEnery, seventh son of Mr. John McEnery, Ballyhale, Knocktopher, Co. Kilkenny.

Mr. James Peter Murnane, third son of Mr. David Murnane, of 5 Warrenpoint, Clontarf, Co. Dublin.

Mr. Frederick William Johnston, B.A., eldest son of Mr. Frederick William Johnston, of Hazelbrook, Upper Kimmage road, Terenure, Co. Dublin.

Mr. John Devenish Condy, only son of Mr. John Condy, of Clonsilla, Antrim road, Belfast.

Mr. John Foster Caldwell, eldest son of Mr. Charles Sproule Caldwell, of Londonderry.

Mr. Patrick Simon Joyce, second son of Mr. James Joyce, of 51 Eccles street, Dublin.

Mr. Edward Christopher Micks, Sen. Mod., B.A., LL.B., youngest son of Mr. William Lawson Micks, of 3 Palmerston Villas, Rathmines, Co. Dublin.

Miss Antonia Elizabeth MacDonnell, second daughter of the late Mr. Mathew MacDonnell, of Cross street, Kells, Co. Meath.

Mr. John Edward Conway, B.A., LL.D., fourth son of Mr. John Conway, of Cootehill, Boyle, Co. Roscommon.

Mr. William Joseph Maguire, LL.D., eldest son of the late Mr. James Maguire, J.P., of Tomgar Ballynanew, Gorey, Co. Wexford.

Mr. John Lowe Woods, B.A., Sen. Mod., eldest son of Sir Robert Henry Woods, M.B., of 39 Merrion square, Dublin.

Mr. Dermot Charles Arthur Gallagher, fourth son of Mr. Daniel Patrick Gallagher, of Dernaseik, Tullyvin avenue, Clontarf.

Mr. James Hamilton Dougan, eldest son of Mr. William Dougan, of 25 Great James street, Londonderry.

Mr. Kevin O'Hanrahan Haugh, second son of the late Professor John Joseph Haugh, of Castlenau, Merrion, Co. Dublin.

Mr. Patrick Joseph Roe, third son of the late Mr. Thomas Roe, Dundalk, Co. Louth.

Mr. Edwin Geoffrey Sarsfield Hall, eldest son of Mr. Edwin Hall, of 31 Auriol road, West Kensington, London (in absentia).

Mr. John Thomas Donovan, B.A., Royal University, Ireland, ninth son of the late Mr. William Donovan, of Galway (in absentia).

Mr. Francis William Lewis, eldest son of Mr. Richard Lewis, of Bagenalstown, Co. Carlow.

The Chief Justice addressed each of the students called, first in Irish and then in English, as usual.

DESERTMARTIN POTATO-GROWERS' COMPLAINT.

ACCESS TO BELFAST MARKET DEMANDED.

At a meeting of farmers in Desertmartin, Mr. Joseph Brown, who presided, said that the outbreak of black scab was looked upon from a far too serious point of view by the Ministry of Agriculture. The following resolution was passed unanimously:—

"We urge upon the Government of Northern Ireland the necessity of exerting themselves to procure us a free access for our blue potatoes in the Belfast market, as potato-growing is our principal source of income. The potatoes this year, to say the least, are up to the high standard of other years.

"While admitting the prevalence of the disease, competent judges say that not 3 per cent. of the crop is affected. Every effort should be made by the farmers and the Government to see that only potatoes sound and free from the disease should reach the Belfast market. If something be not done immediately the financial outlook this year will be very dark, as thousands of tons of potatoes are ready for transport, and if these cannot be sold, the farmers of the district will be faced with bankruptcy."

A deputation representing the farmers discussed the matter with the Ministry yesterday.

"CATHOLICISM."

COLLEGE THEOLOGICAL SOCIETY ADDRESS.

TWO LINES OF THOUGHT

At the opening meeting of the ninety-fifth Session of Trinity College Theological Society, which was held in the Regent House, Trinity College, Dublin, last night, there was a discussion on "Catholicism," the subject of the inaugural address of the Auditor, Mr. R. G. F. Jenkins, B.A.

The chair was occupied by the Regius Professor of Divinity (the Rev. A. H. McNeile, D.D.), President of the Society.

THE EXTERNAL LINKS.

VIEWS ON CHRISTIAN RELIGION.

The Auditor, in the course of his paper, said that the term "Catholicism" was commonly used to indicate a certain way of regarding Christianity. The Catholic view of the Christian religion was that it was not primarily a doctrine of salvation which the individual may lay hold on for himself, but rather that it was the establishment of a visible society, membership in which bestows salvation. This society, the Church, was held together by the indwelling spirit of Christ and by certain other external links. These links were a common faith, common Sacraments and the Apostolic ministry. The common faith was the tradition which lay behind the New Testament and found expression in the Creeds and the decision of General Councils. The Sacraments were the material media whereby spiritual grace was conveyed to the members of the society. The Apostolic ministry was the means whereby the continuity of the Church in all times and all lands with the original Church of the New Testament was preserved. From the Catholic point of view the primary essense of Christianity was membership in a society holding certain definite beliefs; it was a dogmatic religion. Catholicism also taught that the visible and material were necessary elements in Christianity, because they were the means whereby the invisible and immaterial were conveyed; it was a sacramental religion. There was to-day a widespread impatience with dogmatic religion. At the root of this impatience and revolt there were two distinct motives at work. One was the belief that dogmas and creeds were superfluous additions to the Gospel of Christ; the other and more understandable was the opinion that they were out of date and couched in obsolete terminology, and required to be re-stated in terms of, and in harmony with, modern thought.

Protestantism generally had regarded the Sacraments as merely symbolic, and in themselves in no way effective; as merely expressive of a spiritual reality, but not as instrumental in bringing a spiritual reality into existence. In harmony with this was the liberal Protestant view which tended to regard the life of Our Lord as the great symbol of God, exhibiting a final pattern of goodness for humanity rather than as a great act of God whereby a degraded humanity was once more exalted. It had been alleged that Catholic teaching on the Sacraments was "magical." If by magical it was meant that the Sacraments were charms which acted independently of certain moral and spiritual conditions, this was certainly not the case. Catholicism insisted that for the efficacy of a Sacrament a certain moral and spiritual condition of the recipient was necessary.

LINES OF THOUGHT.

The idea of the Catholic Church, as they saw it in the New Testament—that was, the idea of a society composed of men and women of every race and tongue held together by certain internal and external links—was, owing to the sinfulness of human nature, very difficult to realise. It was realised in the early days of the Church. The Church controlled not only religion and morals, but also science, politics, art and commerce. It bore witness to the truly Catholic idea that the Christian religion must enter into every department of life. But it contained the seeds of disruption within itself, and at the Reformation it perished. Then the unity of belief was shattered and religion took divergent courses. They would glance briefly at two of these lines, the Roman and the Protestant, and note how they had deviated from the Catholic ideal of the New Testament.

First there was the Roman line. It was impossible to deny the greatness of the Roman Church. She was genuinely international in character. She had produced, and still produced, saints. She knew how to teach her people how to worship objectively. Yet she was a one-sided development of the Church of the New Testament. The note of that development had been imperialism. As regarded Papal supremacy, there was no basis for it in Scripture. Taking the New Testament as a whole, there was no indication of St. Peter's possessing any authority over and above that which was given to all the other Apostles. Authority, as it operated in the Roman Church, had many unsatisfactory features. It had made historical evidence of no account when estimating the credibility of belief; for all beliefs which were proclaimed by authority were equally credible quite apart from the evidence for them. Lastly, the Roman system had resulted in an unnecessary conflict between the religious interest and the other interests of the human spirit.

THE SECOND LINE.

Turning to Protestantism, they beheld in it much that was of great spiritual value. In the emphasis which it placed upon the Bible it was returning to the custom of the primitive Church. In its appeal to origins as against developments, it was true to the spirit of a religion which was rooted in an historic Incarnation. Yet, in many ways, it had departed from New Testament Christianity. To a very large extent it had lost the idea of the one world-wide church. It had been content with a multiplicity of churches. It had regarded each church as an association of individuals of similar beliefs who had found it expedient to combine. Such a conception of the Church led to continuous disruption. In America this had gone to extreme lengths. In summing up his glance over Protestantism, the essayist said that two points seemed clear. In its appeal to origin as against developments it was inculcating a principle of great value. On the other hand, its individualism had worked havoc.

The idea of the re-union of Christendom had been abroad for some time, and some steps had been taken towards it. Attractive as this ideal was, they should, at the same time, be realists and face facts. The hard fact they had to face was that the fundamental cleavage in the religious world was between Protestants and Catholics. Yet, despite this, these two types managed to exist together within the borders of the Anglican communion. Thus to-day and in the future she seemed called upon to play the part of mediator. The reason of the Anglican Church's peculiar position was to be found in history. At the time of the Reformation she did not undergo such a radical transformation as the other Churches which respected Rome. She then retained all the essential elemnts of Catholicism, the Creeds, the Sacraments, and the Apostolic succession. She added to these the appeal to Scripture as the criterion of all dogmatic claims. This she stood for a Catholicism which was spiritual and free. But she was not always true to herself; at times she forgot her essential catholicity, and sank to the level of a State establishment. From this she was rescued by the Tractarian movement of 1833—the parent of the Anglo-Catholic movement of to-day.

The Anglo-Catholics of to-day had been influenced by Biblical criticism and evolutionary philosophy. They had been impressed by the truth that the essence of anything lay in its concrete wholeness, and not in the supposed kernel, which was arrived at by stripping off all external wrapping. On the ground that the operation of God's Spirit in the Church could not be wholly contrary to His operation in nature, and on the ground that there were distinct traces of development in the New Testament, it was urged that some recognition should be made of the possibility of development of doctrine and practice.

Concluding, the Auditor said that the term Catholic, if it stood for anything, stood for the idea of wholeness and completeness. A sectarian Catholicism was a contradiction in terms. So it was hoped to lay the foundation of a Church which would not be Roman, Anglican or Protestant, but simply Catholic and Evangelical.

THE BISHOP OF TUAM.

The Bishop of Tuam, proposing a vote of thanks to the Auditor for his address, said that he did so with extreme pleasure, and he thought that he might say without flattery, that it was one of the best essays that he had ever heard at an opening meeting of the College Theological Society. He thought that long as Trinity College and the Divinity School produced men of the stamp of the Auditor they need not fear for the future of the Church of Ireland. (Applause.) They heard a good deal nowadays of the lack of candidates for the Church of Ireland. No doubt, perhaps, in the Divinity School at the moment, the number was small, but, at the same time, he thought there were signs and indications—in fact, he knew that there were—that the numbers were going to increase very soon. He thought that they had touched rock-bottom in this matter, and that the various efforts which were being made to help men who had a vocation, to qualify for the ministry of the Church, would have the result that there would be no lack of men of the stamp of the Auditor to carry on her work, and he looked to the future, not with despair, but with hopefulness. The Church of Ireland was as alive as ever she was.

It seemed to him that the break-up of the Catholic Church as it was in the early ages was due, above everything else, to the rise of a spirit of what they might call excessive nationalism. Saint Paul laid down the principle upon which the Catholic Church was to be built when he said that all were to be one in Christ Jesus. That was to be the foundation, and they knew how in the early days that went on. It went on for some centuries, and it had reality. The Catholic Church was to be an international Church, simply because Christ was not only supernatural, but supernational. "That," he said, "is what we have lost. It is gone. Are we ever going to get it back? Is there any hope that we shall ever regain that true Catholicity, that true international fellowship in the body of Christ which the world has lost?"

A CHANGE OF SPIRIT.

If they were ever to regain it, he continued, they wanted a complete change of spirit, a complete turn round, so to speak; they wanted a complete repentance and complete faith: repentance towards God and faith in Christ, because, he thought, that that, after all, was the foundation of the whole thing. They wanted, at the same time, a far keener realisation and belief in the Deity of Jesus Christ. Everything depended upon that. If Christ was not divine then the Church had no real life in her, and the Church, after all, was but the extension of incarnation, and it was upon the divinity of our Lord that the Sacraments depend. They could not have in any real sense a visible Church without Sacraments, and Sacraments depended for their value upon their belief and realisation of the divinity of Jesus Christ. And the same with the Creeds. The whole Creeds would fall to pieces at once if they denied the divinity of Jesus Christ. It seemed to him that, until men got back to the foundations of the truth and grasped it, and realised it to the full, they never could have again a Catholic Church in the fullest sense of the word.

THE REV. A. A. LUCE.

The Rev. A. A. Luce, D.D., who seconded the vote of thanks, said that the Auditor had treated a very difficult subject at a very high level. Although he agreed, in a very large measure, with the synthetic view put before them by the Auditor he did disagree with him on one very vital point. He could not see that Catholicity had for its distinctive mark corporativeness, and that corporativeness was the distinct mark of every Church. To him, at any rate, Catholicity stood for something different. He often wondered whether they gave sufficient stress nowadays to individualism. He sometimes thought that excessive Church spirit weakened independence of character. In football language, it seemed like saying, "I am tired; you shove." That sort of co-operation was, to his mind, no co-operation, and corporativeness simply became interest in the welfare of institutions, or, even more serious still, aimed at merging personal identity in impersonal society. He did not think that such corporativeness represented in any sense the true spirit of Catholicity. He thought that in our own personal history this true Catholicity for each of us really began when we began to be interested in the future of Christianity and to see it beyond our own time.

Catholicity was a great thing, but it was not the only thing. Dr. Johnson said that he tried to be a philosopher, but cheerfulness kept breaking through. Some of them had really tried to be good Catholics, but cheerfulness kept breaking through. Was not that really one of the reasons why they valued Protestantism? They were proud of their Protestant principles. They were loyal subjects. They contributed to learning and citizenship, and where public spirit was in demand they would not find Protestants wanting. Of course, they took the spent force business as a bit of a joke. Why should they not, he asked, have a double-barrelled name, and be called Catholic-Protestant or Protestant-Catholic.

The vote of thanks having been passed,

THE THEOLOGICAL SOCIETY.

The Rev. E. G. Selwyn, B.D., proposed that the College Theological Society is worthy of the support of Trinity College. He said that when the Society had gathered so many people together for a feast of reason, piety and wit, it needed no resolution to justify continued support for it. There was another side to the idea of corporativeness, he said, and that was the idea of all belonging to a body. That was, perhaps, the most fundamental thing of all Catholic religion. The principle of authority was involved in all common life, and that was found in Catholicism in every age. The Church represented a body of spiritual experience, and reflection upon experience which was not, in its fundamental bearing upon truth, essentially different from any other tradition of scientific knowledge. He was perfectly certain that people were going to be impressed by the truth of Christianity not by the writings of particular individuals, but by the impressive witness of united bodies of Christians, and so long as they were divided as at present people would largely discount the best intellectual proofs that they could give of the truth of their claims.

Canon H. W. B. Thompson, B.D., seconded the motion and congratulated the Society on its success. He said that in the Church of Ireland they stood on their own legs, and in that Church individualism was strong, as he though it ought to be. He never felt the sense of common life throbbing so strongly as it does in the Church of Ireland at present. (Applause.)

The motion was passed.

On the motion of the Rev. T. J. Johnson, seconded by the Rev. J. B. Neligan, the best thanks of the Society were passed to the Rev. A. H. M'Neile, D.D., President; to the Rev. Canon N. J. D. White, D.D., the Rev. Canon T. W. E. Drury, M.A., and the Rev. Canon J. C. Forrester, M.A., Vice-President, for their continued interest in the welfare of the Society.

MEDALS AND CERTIFICATES.

The President presented the medals and certificates for the session 1924-1925, as follows:—Oratory—Silver medal—R. G. F. Jenkins (Sch., Sen. Mod.), B.A.; special certificate, Rev. J. B. Neligan (Sch., Mod.), B.A. Composition—Silver medal—B. W. Crawford, B.A.; special certificate, R. G. F. Jenkins (Sch., Sen. Mod.), B.A. President's prize—J. W. Applebe.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION COMMITTEE.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF FURTHER MEETINGS.

The Free State Departmental Committee on Workmen's Compensation announces that until further notice public sessions of the Committee will be held on Tuesdays and Fridays at the Conference Room, Department of Industry and Commerce, Lord Edward street, Dublin, at 4 p.m.

This Committee, of which Mr. A. Alfred Dickie, K.C., is Chairman, has up to the present held a number of sittings, and evidence has been received from many important witnesses representing the various interests concerned. The Committee was appointed by the Minister for Industry and Commerce to inquire into the present system of payment of compensation to workers for injuries sustained in the course of employment, and to consider and report whether any amendments or alterations in the law or administration are desirable.

THE LATE MR. JOHN M'DONNELL.

The funeral of Mr. John M'Donnell, proprietor of the *Roscommon Tournal*, took place on Saturday to the new cemetery, Roscommon. There was a large attendance of the general public. At meetings of the Roscommon Town Committee and the County Council sympathetic references were made to Mr. M'Donnell's death, and resolutions of condolence with his widow were passed.

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The Rest Home Fund Committee of the Irish Guild of Catholic Nurses held a meeting yesterday at the Mansion House, Dublin, to make known the efforts for the establishment of a rest home for all branches of the nursing profession, irrespective of religious denomination. Miss Wall, Matron of the Meath Hospital, presided, and spoke of the urgent need for such a home for nurses who had been ill or who were in need of rest. Members, she said, were needed to serve on the Auxiliary Committee which was being formed to help the Fund in various ways. Miss Wall then proposed the following resolution:—"That the need for a rest home for nurses of all branches of the profession, irrespective of religious denomination, is worthy of support."

Dr. W. M. Crofton, in support of the resolution, said: "The need for such a home is self-evident; we ought to tackle it at once, and tackle it with energy."

Dr. T. P. Kirkpatrick also spoke in favour of the resolution, and pointed out how difficult it was for nurses to save anything out of their salaries to provide for sickness or old age. Conditions now were better than they had been in the past, and there was hope of a good future for the profession; but still, after years of arduous work, a nurse who was past her best might have no place to turn to in illness or old age.

The Rev. Hubert Carruth, C.P., said that salaries, as they stood, were insufficient to provide for old age, and, as a result, nurses were inclined to look for some other livelihood or to marry, merely as a means of livelihood. This meant a constant loss to the profession of nurses who had gained their experience and then left it. If they had something to look forward to matters would be different.

Miss Reeves, Matron of Steevens's Hospital, moved a vote of thanks to the members of the medical profession who had come to speak on behalf of the Fund. The present funds for nurses in need of help, she said, were inadequate to the calls made on them, and those interested in the funds already established were anxious that the rest home would be a success. "The right women," Miss Reeves said, "will not come into the profession while the future is as uncertain as it is to-day."

Countess van Cutsem expressed her willingness to become a member of the Auxiliary Committee, and said that it would be a great happiness to her to help and enlist the sympathy of her friends. She wished the rest home every success.

GALE INTERRUPTS DUBLIN TELEPHONE SERVICE.

As a result of the sudden storm that blew over Ireland last Sunday a number of trunk telephone lines between Dublin and the North were temporarily put out of order. Belfast and Dundalk were inaccessible by telephone for a time during Sunday night and yesterday morning.

Connection by a round-about route was established during the morning until some of the dislocated trunk lines were repaired in the afternoon.

Trunk lines to Skerries, Balbriggan, Navan and Drogheda were also affected by the storm, but were in working order again last evening.

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DROGHEDA AND DISTRICT WAR MEMORIAL.
The Monument erected in memory of the men from Drogheda and District who gave their lives in the Great War, 1914-18, will be Unveiled in Drogheda on Thursday, November 5th, at 2.30 p.m.
The Ceremony will be performed by General Sir Bryan Mahon, K.C.B., supported by other speakers.
Excursion tickets in connection with above will be issued from Amiens street and intermediate stations to Drogheda by 11.30 a.m. train on November 5th.
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CARL ROSA OPERA COMPANY.

BIZET'S "CARMEN."

The crowded audience who assembled at the Gaiety Theatre, Dublin, last night gave an unmistakable proof of the welcome with which the Carl Rosa Opera Company invariably are received in Dublin. They opened their season with the performance of "Carmen," and, whatever may be said or thought about the somewhat painfully frequent inclusion of the same set of works—however good individually—season after season, there can be no doubt that "Carmen" invariably draws and delights the public. In it some of the best talent of the company have their opportunity, and on the present occasion every part was filled with distinction. Miss Doris Woodall is to-day, perhaps, the very best representative of the captivating, but aggressive, heroine, and in the essentials of singing and acting she has seldom done better. She certainly throws a tremendous lot of vehemence and earnestness into her picture on the dramatic side, and from the opening notes of the "Habanara" to the closing tragic scene she sang like a thorough artist.

In every respect the Michaela of Miss Phyllis Woolfe was most interesting. It is, of course, a captivating character, and it always assumes an element that compels our sympathy. There was much tenderness and grace in the performance and an unvarying sweetness of vocalism. The Message Song and "I said naught should frighten me" were given with unaffected simplicity and grace.

Mr. Ben Williams is an artist to whom Don Jose comes as a part in which he finds no difficulties, and he emphasises all its predominating points. In the Tavern scene he gave the "Flower Song" with great expression, and the *finale* with Carmen has not often been more realistically acted.

As Escamillo Mr. Flintoff Moore renewed old experiences, all of which have been of the most agreeable kind. A better or more descriptive rendering of the "Toreador's Song" could not be desired, and it won the customary tribute. He bears himself with all the befitting gallantry which bull fighters are said to possess.

In Mr. Fred. Clendon the audience heartily welcomed one of the greatest favourites and most versatile artists in the company. He was the Dancairo associated with Mr. Peacock as Remendado, his fellow-brigand. Mr. Dunkerley was an excellent Morales. Miss Florence Cahill and Miss Olive Gilbert appeared as Frasquita and Mercedes respectively, and did very well.

A new and by no means improved setting was given to the Tavern scene. It should, of course, be an "interior." On this occasion it presented the appearance of a back yard.

A particularly interesting feature of the night was the ballet, and in an especial manner the dacing of Miss Ailne Phillips.

The choruses were well sung, and the orchestra was conducted by Mr. Andre Skalski.

GOVERNOR OF NORTHERN IRELAND'S COUNCIL.

The *Court Circular* issued last night from Government House, Belfast, stated that Major P. E. Sheppard had the honour of lunching with the Governor. In the afternoon His Grace held a Council at Government House, when he received the Right Hon. Lord Justice (William) Moore, who took the oaths as Lord Chief Justice of Northern Ireland. There were present:—The Right Hon. Sir James Craig, Bart., M.P.; the Right Hon. Sir R. Dawson Bates, M.P.; the Right Hon. Lord Justice Andrews and the Right Hon. Mr. Justice Brown. Mr. C. H. Blackmore was present as Clerk of the Council. Mr. A. Newton Anderson was also in attendance as Clerk of the Crown for Northern Ireland.

The Duchess of Abercorn visited the Arts and Crafts Exhibition in Belfast yesterday. Miss Hamilton has left Government House.

The Irish Times.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1925.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

The Dail reassembles to-day.—(Page 7.)

Last night, at the opening meeting of Trinity College Theological Society, Dublin, the Auditor, Mr. R. G. F. Jenkins, B.A., read a paper on "Catholicism."—(Page 5.)

The entire official exhibit of Irish linen at the Wembley Exhibition has been purchased by a London firm.—(Page 7.)

The proposed plans for the control of the traffic in Dublin were outlined yesterday.—(Page 7.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

After retiring for an hour and a quarter, the jury trying the libel action brought by Mr. Rudolph Mayer against Mr. James Glover in London yesterday intimated that they were unable to agree on the question whether the words in the alleged libel were true, and as the parties refused to accept a majority verdict, the jury were discharged.—(Page 8.)

ABROAD.

General Sarrail, High Commissioner of Syria, has handed over his powers to General Dupont. It is reported that M. Paul Doumer, former Finance Minister of France, has been offered the post of High Commissioner.—(Page 8.)

In an encounter which took place yesterday in Fremantle between strikers and policemen several persons were injured and sixty arrests were made.—(Page 7.)

Higher income tax is proposed by the new French Cabinet.—(Page 7.)

SPORTING.

At Naas yesterday Remember Me won the Mountjoy Plate, Roseate Air the Maddenstown Plate, Tiranogue the Rossmore Plate, Hostility the Rathbride Plate, Kanowna the Farewell Plate, and Royal Falloch the Ruanbeg Plate.—(Page 10.)

At Birmingham Dalnamein won the Packington Handicap.—(Page 10.)

At Wye More Pride won the November Handicap Hurdle Race.—(Page 10.)

FINANCIAL.

All the Stock Exchanges were closed yesterday.—(Page 4.)

Money was very scarce in Lombard street, and overnight loans commanded up to 4 per cent., and very little offering below 3½ per cent. Discount business was quiet.—(Page 4.)

The Dail's Programme.

When *Dail Eireann* meets to-day it will enter upon a session during which grave and troublesome issues must be decided. The most serious item on the session's programme will be the economic crisis in the Free State. During the last few months there has been virtually no improvement in the general condition of affairs. The cattle trade, our staple industry, continues to languish, and every succeeding month carries a new record of falling exports. Our adverse trade balance is increasing, and the railway deficit remains at an alarmingly high figure. No apparent progress has been made in the task of equating income against outgoings, and the lot of the unfortunate shareholders is becoming almost desperate. It would be unfair to expect Ministers to produce a panacea for this aggregation of economic diseases. The causes are deep-seated, and no spectacular cures can be achieved. The public is entitled to demand, however, that there shall be a full and frank discussion of the whole problem without delay. It wants to learn the Government's views on a situation which daily becomes more serious. What, if any, plans have been made to counteract the pernicious effects of economic stagnation? What does the Executive Council propose to do about the railways? Does it offer any hope to the cattle trade? These, with many others, are questions which must be answered if public confidence in Mr. Cosgrave's Administration is to be maintained.

Another matter of immediate moment is the Shannon scheme. In those days of hectic enthusiasm, when Ministers were hacking their way through all opposition in order to complete their contract with Messrs. Siemens-Schuckert, we ventured to deprecate the almost indecent haste with which the Free State was committed to the expenditure of more than £5,000,000 of public money. Now the folly of Mr. McGilligan's "rush" policy is being made manifest. To the mind of the ordinary man it seems to be almost incredible that the Free State Government should have concluded a contract of major importance without a definite arrangement concerning wages with the contractors and with the responsible leaders of Free State Labour. Yet that is precisely what has happened, and a touch of almost comic irony is lent to the situation by the fact that, in its feverish haste to push the necessary Bill through Parliament, the Government's principal ally was the official Labour Party in *Dail Eireann*. Undoubtedly, the Executive Council is to blame for the preposterous imbroglio on the Shannon; but Mr. Thomas Johnson and his colleagues cannot escape their share of the responsibility. We opposed the scheme on various grounds; but, now that the die has been cast, we are anxious, like all good citizens, that it shall be carried out with the *minimum* of delay. A solution must be found at once for the Limerick labour problem. The whole business must be placed on a proper footing, and we hope that the *Dail* will insist on an immediate settlement of a dispute that never ought to have occurred.

Then there is the question of the Medical Register. After a period of the widest publicity, which evoked an almost unanimous expression of popular opinion against the Government's proposal to break away from the General Medical Register, negotiations between the Executive Council and the medical profession have been conducted in complete secrecy, and the situation at the moment is wholly obscure. Free State doctors will be cut adrift from the British connection next February unless, in the meanwhile, Parliament insists that the Government's inexplicable plan shall not be carried into effect. We do not need to rehearse the disastrous consequences of a separate Medical Register for the Free State. The mere threat of isolation from Britain already has dealt a heavy blow at our medical schools. Trinity College reports that the number of its medical recruits this year is the lowest since 1892, and we have no doubt that, when the figures for the other schools are published, an equally unsatisfactory condition of affairs will be disclosed. There is still time to prevent calamity, and we hope sincerely that every member of *Dail Eireann* who has any interest in Irish culture will do everything in his power to defeat a project which has nothing to recommend it. A heavy responsibility lies with the *Dail*. By the proper exercise of its functions it can save the Government and the country from a terrible blunder, thereby taking an important step away from the prejudiced confines of parochialism towards the freedom of real nationhood.

Germany and the Pact.

Herr Stresemann, Germany's Foreign Minister, is a sensible man who accepts the inevitable with a good grace. In a speech at Dresden yesterday he said that he had renounced war through "sober realisation" of the fact that his country no longer possessed an instrument of war. Henceforward, he added, respect for Germany's frontiers must be enforced internationally, under guarantees from the Powers of Europe. It is a great pity that substantial numbers of Herr Stresemann's fellow-countrymen prefer the doctrines of Aristippus and, in their desire to subdue facts to themselves, have repudiated their own Government's momentous decision at Locarno. Unhappily, there seems to be small prospect now that the Treaty of Locarno—Europe's longest and surest step towards peace—will be signed at London in the first week of December. The German Nationalist Party has refused to accept responsibility for the Treaty, and a week ago its three representatives in Herr Luther's Cabinet tendered their resignations. Since that time there has been no improvement in the situation at Berlin. There is no doubt that the mass of the German people desires that the Pact shall be ratified without delay, but the Government has been weakened by the Nationalist defections, and the situation in the Reichstag—which must endorse the Pact before Germany can sign it—does not reflect the situation in the country. In such circumstances a plebiscite would appear to be the natural solution. As the Berlin Correspondent of *The Times* explains, however, there are constitutional difficulties, and, in any case, a plebiscite is possible only as an appeal against the actual rejection of the Pact by the Reichstag. It is believed that Herr Luther is in favour of a dissolution of the Reichstag and an appeal to the electorate, but among the many objections to this plan is the certainty that the voting could not be confined to a single issue. The Correspondent of *The Times*, a highly competent observer, does not conceal the fact that the strength of the Nationalist hostility to the settlement of Locarno is quite formidable, and that it comes less from the parliamentary leaders than from the "die-hard" rank and file of the Nationalist State federations. These people refuse to abandon war as a means to revise the Eastern frontier, and they refuse to endorse the Government's total renunciation of German claims upon Alsace-Lorraine. Probably they are unteachable and their support will be withheld from Germany's final acceptance of the Treaty of Locarno. To some extent, no doubt, the value of the Pact will be diminished by the withholding of the Nationalists' signature, but two things may be regarded as certain. In the long run the Pact will be accepted, whether by the present Reichstag or by another; and its ratification by all the Powers will have an instant and profound effect on political and economic conditions throughout Europe. If the Powers and the League of Nations have the courage of their new influence and opportunities, the German "backwoodsmen" soon may be merely an interesting anachronism.

The Free State Air Force.

The development of the Irish Free State Army Air Corps will be watched with great interest. Six powerful new aeroplanes have been acquired, bringing the aerial fleet at Baldonnel up to the strength of twenty-eight machines. With the expansion of the corps' resources, it is now possible to train young Irishmen in all branches of aviation and aerial navigation. We hope to see the ambitious and enterprising young aviators providing the Free State with a commercial flying service. Such a service well might prove an invaluable asset to the trade and industry of the Free State; for the geographical position of Ireland is such that rapid communication with England is both possible and profitable. The passenger service by air between Croydon and Paris grows ever more popular. Many business men virtually have discarded the railway and mail boat route between the English and French capitals, and habitually make the journey by aeroplane. The silk trade between Britain and the Continent is being transacted almost wholly by air. In like manner a passenger service by air between Dublin and Manchester or London probably would play an important part in commercial development, and an aerial mail between the two countries is long overdue. Perishable goods might gain an improved hold of the English markets if carried by air; and it is worth noting that, while the flower gardens of Leinster are within two hours' flight of the great centres of population across the Channel, an aeroplane could not reach London from Denmark, even if a straight passage across the North Sea could be navigated, in less than eight hours. Already the Free State air fleet has done good work in aerial photography. Archæology, civil engineering and the art of town-planning all find in the aerial photographer a precious ally. Aerial photographs of the Dublin slum-areas probably would bring home to the most indifferent the danger and urgency of the slum problem. Last year experiments were made off the East coast of England in the use of aeroplanes as scouts for the fishing fleets, and we should like to see similar experiments made in searching for the herring shoals in spring and autumn off the Atlantic coasts of Ireland. Colonel Russell and his airmen at Baldonnel are pioneers in an important phase of the Free State's progress.

Irish Linen.

After the Napoleonic wars the linen industry of Ulster went through a period of grave depression; but energy and resourcefulness adapted the industry to the new conditions, and it advanced to far larger prosperity than ever it had known. Since the Great War the industry has been beset with new difficulties. Fresh competitors are in the field; the supply of raw material is jeopardised and the high cost in these islands of labour and of living has made production so difficult that the famous output of Belfast has been unable to hold its markets. The men of Ulster have set about the reorganisation of the linen trade with undiminished faith in its future. The Government of Northern Ireland has allotted large sums of money for an intensive campaign of advertisement in the great market of America. A research department is hard at work seeking cheaper and more efficient processes of manufacture. At the Empire Exhibition at Wembley a large and expensive display of Irish linen was shown. The fruit of this last measure is seen in the news that a leading commercial house in London has bought the entire Ulster exhibit. Every variety of Irish linen manufactures is represented in the big array which now will be shown in the West End of London. Moreover, firms in the United States and Canada have given orders for consignments equivalent to the display at Wembley, and thus many of the Ulster linen houses have received an encouraging influx of new business. No doubt, the manufacturers whose foresight in exhibiting at Wembley was rewarded thus will exercise equal zeal in following up their new business connections. If the Free State had opened a pavilion at Wembley, similar benefits might have been enjoyed by business houses in Southern Ireland. The opportunity of the British Industries Fair, to be held next February, must not be neglected in similar fashion.

THE NEW REGIME IN PERSIA.

RIZA KHAN.

By SIR WOLSELEY HAIG, K.C.I.E.

The news of the abdication or deposition, however it may be described, of the ex-Shah of Persia will come as no surprise to those who know the ruler and his country. Raised to the throne as a mere boy on July 18th, 1909, after the failure of his father's attempt to overthrow the constitution, Sultan Ahmad Shah, who is indolent and unambitious, never has shown the slightest aptitude, or, indeed, desire for the position and duties of a ruler. Throughout the Great War, Persia, while nominally neutral, followed the course of a rudderless ship, at the mercy of the winds and the waves of the sea of international politics.

Although the Government had declared its neutrality, each of the associations of belligerent Powers had its warm partisans among the ruling classes of Persia, and as Ministry succeeded Ministry with bewildering rapidity, so did the *prestige* and influence of the two parties wax and wane. The Shah preferred new Cabinets to old, not from any motive of high policy, but simply because a Cabinet new to its work displayed some degree of deference to him and avoided contentious questions. Close association with him familiarised Ministers with his character, familiarity bred contempt, and the Shah was usually prepared to dismiss on the slightest pretext, or on no pretext at all, a Cabinet which had held office for some months, and each Cabinet was succeeded by one diametrically opposed to it on most questions, but, above all, on questions of foreign policy. The government of the country became contemptible, and Persia's neutrality was repeatedly violated, first by her own subjects and servants, next by Germans and Russians, and finally, and of necessity, by British officials acting in self-defence.

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The war ended without Persia's having definitely committed herself to either side, but the Shah had brought himself, as well as his Government, into contempt. The first advantage which he took of the restoration of international peace was a pleasure trip to Europe. He returned unwillingly to Persia, and resumed the reins of government, but when a Bolshevist rabble from Baku landed on the southern shore of the Caspian, he announced that the state of his health necessitated another journey to Europe, and made preparations to leave. As his departure would have been regarded by the Bolsheviks as an invitation to advance on Teheran, both foreign representatives begged him to remember his responsibilities. All efforts were in vain until a deputation of merchants and ecclesiastics waited on him and added their prayers to those of the officials. The Shah, to the astonishment of all, plucked up courage and decided to remain, displaying his one saving grace—a sense of humour. "I had no notion," he said, "that any of my subjects desired my presence; for I am sure I have given them no cause to do so."

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Meanwhile, an inefficient and corrupt Ministry entirely neglected the defences of the country and starved the Persian Cossacks who were facing the Bolsheviks. The latter having agreed to retire, Riza Khan, the Cossack leader, marched on Teheran in the autumn of 1920, sent the Cabinet about its business and assumed a dictatorship. The Shah remained at his capital for some time longer, but never again exercised any real authority. He has since made two journeys to Europe, and those who knew him were surprised that he returned from the first. From the second he will not return. Details of the correspondence between him and the masterful dictator are lacking, but it is not probable that Sultan Ahmad Shah has shown any unwillingness to vacate his throne in favour of a better man. His dynasty, founded in 1779 by the bloodthirsty eunuch, Agha Muhammad, has done little for Persia.

The new King is not a kinsman of the ex-Shah, but is of humble origin—in fact, another Nadir Shah. He began life as a trooper in the brigade of Persian Cossacks, received a military training under Russian officers, and obtained his commission by merit. Of literary education he has had very little, but he has considerable personal abilities. He is a sincere patriot of great strength of character, transparent honesty and commanding personality. His personal name is Riza, and the Shah conferred on him the title of Sardar-i-Sipah, or "Commander of the Army"; but he himself introduced a decree abolishing such titles of honour and commanding all Persians to assume and register surnames. For himself he chose Pahlavi, derived from the name applied to the old Persian kings and the language spoken in their time, and it is by this name, apparently, that he has been proclaimed.

37 Trinity College, Dublin,
November 2nd, 1925.

TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS.

Gaiety Theatre—"Madam Butterfly," 7.45 p.m.
Theatre Royal—Varieties, 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Olympia Theatre—"Bad Boys," 7 and 9 p.m.
Abbey Theatre—"Professor Tim," 8 p.m.
Metropole Cinema—"Little Annie Rooney," 2.15, 4.30, 6.45, and 9.0 p.m.
La Scala Theatre—"The Breaking Point," 3-10.30 p.m., continuous.
The Grafton—"Contraband," 2.25, 4.40, 6.55, and 9.10 p.m.
Grand Central—"The Storm Daughter."
The Pavilion, Dun Laoghaire—"Teeth," 4, 6.30, and 9 p.m.
Dail Eireann—Leinster House, 3 p.m.
Poor Law Commission—Department of Agriculture, 11 a.m.
Girl Guides' Rally—Mansion House, 7.30 p.m.
T.C.D. Gaelic Society—Regent House, 3.30 p.m.
Architectural Association—Opening Meeting, 8 Merrion square, 7.45 p.m.
Central Criminal Court, 11 a.m.
Dublin Circuit Courts, 11 a.m.

RECENT IRISH WILLS.

Mr. Charles Coates, late of Shanavaun, Carrickmines, Co. Dublin, who died, intestate, April 27th, 1925, left £19,341

Mr. Henry D. Conner, K.C., late of Manch, Ballineen, Co. Cork, and Fitzwilliam place, Dublin, Judge of the County Cork Circuit Court, who died at St. Ann's Hill, Blarney, July 23rd, left £9,839

Captain James W. St. Lawrence Wheble, late of Bulmershe Court, Berkshire, left in the Free State property valued at ... £5,091

Mrs. Anne North, late of Rockbrook, Rathfarnham, who died August 6th, left... £2,149

Mr. George Shaw Rogers, late of Cartalvin, Co. Monaghan, solicitor, who died intestate, left £1,975

COURT AND PERSONAL.

The King and Queen returned to Buckingham Palace yesterday afternoon from Norfolk. Their Majesties travelled by special train from Wolverton, *via* Cambridge, to King's Cross, where a crowd had assembled outside the station and heartily cheered them as they drove off to the Palace.

The Prince of Wales is arranging to move some of his hunters from Melton Mowbray to Leighton Buzzard, where he will hunt with the Whaddon Chase and Bicester packs, owing to the suspension of hunting in Leicestershire, where a serious outbreak of foot-and-mouth disease has occurred.

Princess Mary and Viscount Lascelles attended a successful concert yesterday in aid of the Magdalen College Mission in Somers Town, for which Mrs. Robert Fleming lent her house in Grosvenor square. Miss Violeta de Villamil and the Kendall String Quartet contributed to the programme.

Princess Louise Duchess of Argyll will open a bazaar in Kensington Town Hall on Thursday for the children's hospital called after her in South Kensington. The claims of St. Peter's Hospital, Covent Garden, will be advocated on the same evening at the dinner in the Victoria Hotel at which the Marchioness of Carisbrooke will preside.

The Duke of Sutherland left London yesterday for a series of Primrose League meetings in the North of England. During his tour he will be the guest of the Duke and Duchess of Northumberland at Alnwick Castle and the Duke and Duchess of Portland at Welbeck Abbey. The Duchess of Sutherland, who returned with him from Scotland, has left Hampden House for a short visit to Paris. The Earl of Derby and Captain and Lady Victoria Bullock are staying in Paris, and the Countess of Derby has returned to Knowsley Park, Lancashire.

Lord and Lady Hemphill, who returned from New York in the ss. Minnetonka, arrived in London yesterday. Lady Winifred Gore has been abroad for some time and is returning to London to-day. Sir Victor and Lady Warrender have returned from their trip to Poland and are settled at their house in Upper Grosvenor street, London. Sir Richard and Miss Angela Paget are expected to return from their Spanish trip on Thursday. Major-General Sir Fabian Ware has returned to London from Canada.

The Right Hon. Sir Thomas Molony arrived at Kingstown yesterday from England. Major Derwent McCalmont has returned from England and has joined Lady Helen McCalmont at Mount Juliet, Co. Kilkenny, where they will remain for the hunting season. Sir Edward Bellingham has returned to Castle Bellingham from England. The Hon. Mrs. Benjamin Plunket is making a short stay in London before she leaves for Bath.

The Hon. Frederick Lawless, who is now convalescent, will be leaving Brighton shortly for Ireland.

Stockton House, the residence of the Hon. Mrs. Skeffington-Smyth, which will be sold to-day by auction, is one of the most striking examples of sixteenth-century architecture in Wiltshire, a county famed for picturesque and stately mansions. In one of the rooms there is a carved stone chimney-piece representing Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego in the fiery furnace.

The Honble. Lady de Courcy Wheeler, who recently has been indisposed, has left Dublin for Egypt.

Dr. J. J. Fitzsimons has returned to 63 Lower Baggot street.

Dr. J. A. K. Douglas, of the Meath Hospital, has changed his address to 2 Charlemont road, Clontarf.

Mr. G. Jameson Johnston has removed to 16 Fitzwilliam place.

Dr. Annie Brereton has returned from London and has taken up residence at 29 Upper Fitzwilliam street.

Beautifully-illustrated book of the Newest Fashions sent post free on request.—Switzer's, Grafton street.

Of great beauty but of little price are Ciro Pearls. Convince yourself of their realistic charm by visiting the Ciro Pearl Department at Switzer's, Grafton street, Dublin. London prices.

Just Received—A Continental Manufacturer's Stock of Jumpers, Casaques, and Overblouses, art. silk jersey knit and fancy shell designs, lovely shades, 6s. 11d., 7s. 11d., 12s. 9d. Wonderful value.—W. Holmes, Dublin, Ltd., 69, 70, 71 Sth. Gt. George's st.

Opera and Dances—Dress Suits, Shirts, Ties, Socks, etc., ready for service at Seale's, 97/99 Grafton street.

Beautiful Fur-trimmed and Plain Coats. Prices moderate.—Barrett and Heade, 5 Dawson street.

Chancellor and Son, Photographers. New Electric Studio, 7 Grafton street, Dublin.

PASSENGERS ON ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.

Arrivals:—Right Hon. Sir Thomas Molony, Mrs. James McGrath, Mrs. T. E. Gordon, Dr. W. E. Hutchinson, Thomas J. Byrne, William J. Corry, Thomas V. Hill, Miss Kathleen Taaffe, A. F. E. Stewart, Mrs. A. McStewart, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fry, H. O'Byrne, Sir Edward Bellingham, Mrs. W. Findlater, Mrs. Percy Odlum.

Departures—V. G. Davy, Miss Seaman, Mrs. Shannon, Mrs. E. Hamilton, Misses H. M. and S. G. Hamilton, Miss E. Harley, Miss E. A. Seale, Miss Seale, Mrs. A. H. Seale, Lady and Miss McGrath, Captain and Mrs. F. C. Hitchcock, Master Rex Hitchcock, Mrs. Trevor Lawder, Miss V. N. Lawder, H. Leo Morrison, Dr. M. O'Leary.

Other Arrivals and Departures will be found in "Dublin and the Provinces."

Sale of Silks and Dress Goods this week at McBirney's.

The new Stockinette Jumper Suit, with panne velvet collar and cuffs, as now worn in Paris, at Mansfield Sisters, 28 Wicklow st.

Genuine Reductions in Millinery for this week.—M. Cathcart, 26 Dawson street.

The Hotel Russell, St. Stephen's Green, has installed Wireless Broadcasting Sets for the use of visitors.

Carpets made from oddments and discontinued patterns.—Millar and Beatty, Ltd.

A very choice selection of Diamond and Fancy Stone Rings at tempting prices.—John Morton, Jeweller, 48 Nassau street.

Special Sale of Coats and Costumes for one week, commencing this day (Monday). Fur-trimmed, 4½ to 17 gns.; usual prices, 5½ to 19 gns. Tweed Coats from 49/6. Very special to clear. Davis and Co., 45 Grafton street.

WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference.—The depression centred off our North-West coasts is moving slowly north-eastwards, and a new depression indicated north of the Azores is likely to move eastwards and cause an early renewal of strong winds, probably reaching gale force in the Channel area, and further rain to spread in from the West across the British Isles.

Ireland. — Southerly winds, moderate to strong; fair to cloudy; showery at first, rainy later; visibility mainly good; mild.

S.W. Seaboard; Irish Sea and St. George's Channel. — Wind southerly, moderate to strong or high; cloudy; some rain; visibility moderate to good; sea becoming rather rough.

N.W. Seaboard. — Moderate south to south-west winds, freshening; cloudy, some rain later; visibility moderate to good; sea slight, becoming rather rough.

Dixon and Hempenstall, Barometers and Forecasters, 12 Suffolk street, Dublin.—(Advt)

DUBLIN WEATHER REPORT.

	Bar.	Thermometer. Temp. 10 p.m.	Max.	Min.	Grass Min.	Wind.	Rain. m.m.	Sun hours.
Oct. 27	29.642	50.1	57	49	43	W.	0.6	1.5
28	29.610	56.1	57	46	37	S.E.	0.5	0.2
29	29.452	55.8	60	47	37	S.E.	1.6	0.0
30	29.532	55.0	57	52	48	S.E.	1.3	0.0
31	29.574	54.8	58	40	39	S.E.	0.9	4.0
Nov. 1	29.448	52.0	55	42	41	S.	5.8	0.0
2	29.524	49.6	57	48	39	S.	11.3	2.1

SUN.
To-day....Rises .. 7.26 Sets 4.50
To-morrow.. " .. 7.28 " 4.48
Lighting-up Time 5.50

HIGH WATER—DUBLIN.
To-day.....Morning 0.33 Afternoon 0.51
To-morrow.. " .. 1.10 " 1.29

LONDON LETTER.

LONDON MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
MONDAY NIGHT.

London to-day has been engaged voting for its Borough Councils, and it is hoped that it has been able to free itself from the Socialist domination misused in some places. The voting throughout the day, however, did not lead to the encouragement of any great hope that the walls of the Socialist strongholds had fallen to the ground, although it was considered certain that the Municipal Reformers had more than held their own and had gained seats in some centres. It is strange how little the average ratepayers know or care about these elections. It was reported this afternoon that many of the electors thought that they could vote for only one candidate instead of several.

Protection of Industries.

In political circles it is understood that the Chancellor of the Exchequer will introduce a supplementary Finance Bill during the autumn sittings to give effect to the recommendations made by the committees appointed under the Safeguarding of Industries Act. Seven important industries may be protected as a result of the legislation to be effected. It is probable that the Opposition and the Liberals may protest against such a Finance Bill, but the Government will insist upon its being passed and put into operation with as little delay as possible. It has become apparent that the industries already safeguarded are recovering themselves, and likely to do well in the future.

Railways and Motor Cars.

Railway companies have long recognised that motor road traffic is their most formidable opponent, and in the course of next session a new attempt will be made by the companies to secure powers to run vehicles on the roads. A private Bill introduced two years ago by a railway company was opposed strenuously and successfully by the commercial motor interests, but on this occasion all the four railway systems of the country will combine. It is recognised that an immense amount of goods traffic might be conveyed short distances by motor at a reasonable rate, and it is to secure this traffic that a bill is to be introduced.

National Health Insurance.

The Royal Commission on National Health Insurance is now engaged in preparing its report. It is but seldom that the work of a Royal Commission affects so many of the populace; for its recommendations will affect some twelve million people throughout the country. The National Health Insurance system was created in 1911, and until now had not been overhauled, but the work of the Commission was necessary. One point clearly calling for revision is the amount paid by the State; for its contribution to the scheme amounts to nearly seven millions a year, while the system, when all its assets are taken into consideration, has a surplus of nearly fifty million pounds. A possibility of the report is that there may be recommendations for an extension of benefits in other directions than those originally intended, such as allowances for widows, children and other dependents of insured persons, and medical benefits for a much wider circle.

Summer in November.

To-day was the warmest November day London has seen for many years, a shade temperature of 61 being recorded at Hampstead. All through last night the thermometer remained above the normal level, and nearer the average of a night in summer. The spell of fine and warm weather now being enjoyed here is due to a persistent flow of air from the shores of the Mediterranean, drawn up by a big cyclone which has been lying almost stationary off Western Ireland for several days. This system is sending out relays of smaller cyclones across Britain, with occasional heavy rains and gales. The warm weather is expected to last for a few days more in London, but it is uncertain.

British Films.

It is extremely likely that the proposal that a quota of British films shall be used in cinemas as a condition of the exhibition of foreign pictures will be adopted at the meeting of the General Committee of the Film Industries on Wednesday. Individual members of the Committee are of the opinion that British films must inevitably improve by the encouragement that will result from such treatment. The plan suggested is to be laid before the Board of Trade almost immediately, and there are great hopes in the film industry that the Government will move in the matter without delay.

Gold from Russia.

To judge from a spectacle afforded many people this morning at Hays Wharf, by London Bridge, Russia has still a considerable amount of gold in her possession. The Soviet steamer Gercen, one of the vessels forming part of the weekly service between London and Leningrad, unloaded a million pounds of bar gold. The precious metal was flung over the side of the vessel in one hundred and fifty oblong boxes, just as any other commodity might be, and then transferred to three motor lorries looking very much like meat vans. A few quiet-looking detectives stood about, but that was the only guard, and when the vans were loaded they were driven off to the Bank of England.

High-Legged Boots.

Opinions vary as to whether the latest feminine fashion of wearing loose-fitting high-legged boots will develop. Some of the West End stores apparently consider that the demand will be merely transitory and have made no attempt to increase their stocks; but some of the boot shops are making big displays. Although generally referred to as "Russian" boots, they are of the type formerly known as "Wellingtons" or, in the case of the very loose-fitting variety, as "Bluchers." At one of the more fashionable establishments to-day the view was expressed that "the boots are as ugly as were Oxford trousers in the case of men's wear last year, and they will have as short a vogue."

The Lifeboat Service.

With the rescue of forty-six lives from the German barque, Hamburg, of Hamburg, by the Kingstown motor lifeboat, and of seventeen lives from the German four-masted ship, Paul, of Hamburg, by the lifeboat at Ferryside, in Carmarthen, the number of lives rescued from foreign vessels round our coasts this year is ninety-four, more than a quarter of the total of 315 lives saved. The foreign vessels to the help of which our lifeboats have gone have been three of them French, two German, one Dutch and one Spanish. Last year the number rescued from foreign vessels was ninety-nine out of a total of 454—that is to say, more than a fifth—and the vessels succoured were five of them Norwegian, three French, three Swedish, two Yugo-Slavian, one Belgian and one Dutch. There is, in fact, not a country with a seaboard which has not at one time or another owed the lives of its citizens and safety of its vessels to the British lifeboat service.

The eleventh International Telegraph and Telephone Conference, which has just concluded in Paris, recommended an increase of 33 per cent. in international telegraph rates to come into effect on April 1 next.

At a meeting of Armagh County Infirmary Committee it was decided to erect a memorial to the memory of the late Surgeon Palmer.

HOW FRANC[E] WILL PAY HER DEBTS.

INCOME TAX T[O] BE RAISED.

SINKING FUND

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CABINET'S POLIC[Y]

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TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—The 11th of November is the seventh anniversary of the signing of the Armistice. We have not yet been able to erect a permanent Cenotaph in Dublin to the memory of all those Irishmen who fell in the Great War, and we have again to resort to a temporary expedient.

In agreement with the police authorities, the Council of the British Legion have arranged to erect the Cross, which is eventually to be placed on the heights of Wytschaete, on a temporary site. For reasons which have had our earnest consideration we have chosen the South-Eastern corner of St. Stephen's Green, at the junction of Earlsfort terrace with Lower Leeson street.

Full details of the proposed arrangements will be published in the Press in the course of the next few days. In the meantime, we would inform the public that our staff is very small, and that the numbers of sympathisers that are likely to attend are very great. It can only be by the observance of the greatest care and by the strictest obedience to the directions which will be published that it will be possible to carry out the proposed ceremony with the solemnity and decorum which are proper to the occasion.

The Council of the Legion reminds all ex-Service men, the relatives of our fallen comrades, and all who sympathise with us that this ceremony is one of remembrance of the dead, and that any rejoicings over victory, or attempts to make political capital or propaganda out of the celebration, are entirely foreign to our purpose and to the solemnity of the occasion. We beg that no act be done or word spoken which may cause pain or offence to anyone. We trust that all formed bodies will move in such a manner as will cause the least possible interference with the traffic, and particularly with the tramway vehicles, and we ask everybody to obey strictly the directions and orders of the police.

We trust that the ceremony may be worthy of the occasion, and we hope that all Irishmen will join with us in our remembrance of the dead.—Yours, etc.,

W. B. HICKIE, President, British Legion, South Ireland Area.

27 Molesworth street, Dublin,
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ARMISTICETIDE.

APPEAL OF THE CHURCHES.

The following appeal has been issued by the Archbishops of Canterbury and York and by the Moderator of the Federal Council of the Free Churches:—

The observance of Armisticetide this year offers us as a nation an opportunity which we desire, God helping us, to use aright. Locarno, as our clearest thinkers assure us, means the opening of a new and brighter chapter in the tangled story of European relationship. Let the thought spur us to face with redoubled courage and new confidence the problems which are confronting us at home.

We do believe that at this hour there is beginning to be astir in England a resolve that united efforts must and shall be made to grapple with these problems. We desire to be of service to that effort and to invoke for it the blessings and guidance of the Lord God.

Our supreme need is a clearer atmosphere—an atmosphere in which men will hate to be at variance and will long to understand—try to understand how widespread and how acute is the distress which exists at this time among us; try to understand how life must feel to those who are the actual sufferers—those in whose homes unemployment works havoc of heart and mind.

We must all care more. Nothing less than a sympathy which is real can supply the motive power of action that is effective. Callousness to the anxieties of others is a menace to our peace. On the other hand, a spirit of mistrust and a sense of injury tempt some to seek less than the common good. Such a spirit, on whatever side, constitutes a peril to our national well-being, even to our very existence as a nation, no less real and much more insidious than that which confronted us in 1914.

The peril of to-day, like that of eleven years ago, must be faced and determinedly rolled back, though with different weapons and in another temper.

It is here that we believe Armisticetide this year, if rightly used, can count greatly. We appeal to our fellow-countrymen to approach this commemoration ready to hear and to heed the distinct call with which it comes. The observance will gain in reality and force by being seen in a new setting. Vivid recollections of the blood shed for the preservation of this England will inflame fresh resolves.

We suggest that where possible the note of remembrance of reflection of expectant prayer should be kept sounding from the Sunday before Armistice day until the day itself. And we go further. We make bold to ask those who are leaders in our religious life not to be content to let the keeping of Armistice Day be the goal. Let the day also preface a short period—say the rest of the month—during which they will try to translate our hopes and our uneasiness into definite thought, definite prayer, and definite action.

Is it impossible that the coming Armistice Day should prove a turning point in these post-war years and consecrate a new beginning in our national life?

RANDALL CANTUAR.
COSMO EBOR.
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2nd November, 1925.

The Archbishop of Canterbury will make an appeal to the nation in Canterbury Cathedral on Armistice Day at 7.30 p.m. This appeal will be broadcast by the British Broadcasting Company to all stations.

ARMISTICE DAY OBSERVANCE.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR BELFAST CEREMONY.

At yesterday's meeting of the Belfast City Council the Lord Mayor announced that on Armistice Day there would be the usual public observance at the Cenotaph in front of the City Hall.

The Service of commemoration would commence about 10.30 o'clock, and, following the laying of the wreaths, the "Last Post" would be sounded, and at 11 o'clock sharp there would be the two minutes' silence, after which the *Réveille* would be sounded by the buglers, and the Service would conclude with the National Anthem. He hoped that there would be a full attendance of the members.

OBITUARY.

SIR JAMES A. LOUGHEED.

An Ottawa telegram announces the death of Sir James Alexander Lougheed, K.C.M.G., K.G. Sir James was well-known in politics, and held his last portfolio as Minister of the Interior in 1918. He was Conservative leader in the Seante for many years.

SIR JOHN FOX DILLON, BART.

The Times announces that Sir John Fox Dillon, seventh Baronet, of Lismullen, Navan, died suddenly on Sunday last at Longworth Hall, Hereford, at the age of 82. Sir John was a Baron of the Holy Roman Empire. He succeeded to the Baronetcy in 1875, and had been Major of the 5th Battalion, Leinster Regiment. In 1879 he married Marion Louisa, daughter of the late R. S. Dykes, by whom he had one daughter.

"WAR RENOUNCED" BY GERMANY.

HERR STRESEMANN'S STATEMENT.

BERLIN, Monday.

Herr Stresemann, speaking in Dresden, stated that the aim of Locarno was to secure the peaceful development of Europe for a long time by a political understanding.

According to the only Berlin afternoon paper to publish an account of the Minister's speech, Herr Stresemann further remarked: "It is true that I have renounced war. I did so owing to the sober realisation that we no longer have an instrument of war. Respect for German frontiers must, therefore, be enforced internationally, and they must be placed under the guarantee of the European Powers."

In conclusion, the German Foreign Minister declared: "Mr. Chamberlain said to me: 'England's entire naval and land forces are at your disposal if France crosses your frontier.'"

COMMUNISTS TO FIGHT THE PACT.

The Congress of the German Communist Party has passed a resolution declaring that the chief task of the party must be to form a strong Left *bloc* in the German workers' movement, aiming at the establishment of an independent Socialist Germany, in free alliance with Soviet Russia. A second resolution demands the immediate dissolution of the Reichstag, the resignation of the Luther Government and a fight against the war Pact of Locarno.

IRISH LINEN AT WEMBLEY.

PURCHASE OF ENTIRE EXHIBIT.

(FROM OUR BELFAST CORRESPONDENT.)

I understand that Messrs. Swan and Edgar, of London, have purchased the entire official exhibit of Irish linen at the British Empire Exhibition, which closed on Saturday. The linen is to be displayed in one of the largest shops in the West End of London.

The linen exhibit of an enterprising North of Ireland firm, which was displayed in the Textile Section, has been ordered in duplicate by half a dozen large American and Canadian stores.

Mr. J. F. H. Gilliland, who has had charge of the linen section during the Exhibition, said:—Our display has brought the merits of Irish linen to the notice of people from all parts of the world. Every day we have had a stream of interested visitors. It will be very helpful to continue the good impression by having our display presented in the most conspicuous part of London by Swan and Edgar. From actual results alone the exhibit has more than justified itself. Substantial orders have been obtained regularly, and a good amount of business has come to the linen trade that would not have come but for our exhibit.

FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE.

LEICESTERSHIRE HUNTS STOPPED.

Hunting in Leicestershire is entirely suspended owing to further outbreaks of foot-and-mouth disease at Thursmaston and Edmonthorpe.

The Prince of Wales has altered his plans, and will for the present hunt with the Whaddon 'Chase and the Bicester packs. Some of his hunters are being removed from Craven Lodge and Melton stables to Leighton Buzzard.

"ONE MAN, ONE JOB."

GERMAN'S STORY IN LIMERICK COURT.

The application of the principle of "One man, one job," to a German in Limerick resulted in a summons in the local Civil Bill Court yesterday, when Fritz Hofler, who had been employed as a musician in the Grand Central Cinema, Limerick, sued Mr. Paul Bernard, the proprietor, for £8, two weeks' wages in lieu of notice.

The plaintiff stated that one night recently, Messrs. M'Carthy and O'Brien, officials of the Transport Workers' Union, went to the cinema and asked him if he had been acting as interpreter for Germans at the Strand Barracks. He said that he had. They then told him that trade union rules were "One man, one job," and that he would either have to quit the Germans or his employment at the Grand Central. He replied, saying that he would stand by his fellow-countrymen. Next morning he was dismissed.

To the Court he stated that he was drawing a salary as interpreter.

In cross-examination he admitted that he had used an insulting expression to Mr. Bernard.

Mr. Bernard gave evidence as to the conversation between the Union officials and Hofler, and added that he was in no way concerned with the matter in dispute. He would not have dismissed Hofler but for an insult that he used towards him, and added that Hofler also brandished his stick at him.

Mr. Michael McCarthy, Transport Union organiser, stated that the conversation was entirely confined to Hofler, and at no time had he approached Mr. Bernard about the matter.

The Justice accepted the evidence for the defence. Hofler, he believed, had become indignant and behaved as he had to Mr. Bernard. He would dismiss the case, but he asked Mr. Bernard to treat Hofler considerately, as he was a foreigner.

Mr. Bernard agreed to pay Hofler one week's wages and the costs of the Court.

ROYAL NAMES LIBEL CASE.

JURY FAILS TO AGREE.

The jury disagreed yesterday in the action in London in which Mr. Rudolph Mayer sued Mr. "Jimmy" Glover and others for libel. They had debated their verdict for an hour and a quarter, and they reported that there was no chance of agreeing. Mr. Justice Horridge thereupon discharged them, and intimated that there would have to be a fresh trial. The point on which disagreement arose was the first put by the Judge, as to whether the words complained of were true in substance and in fact.

The alleged libel was contained in an issue of *The Theatre and Concert World*, and referred to a photograph of Mr. Daniel Mayer, the plaintiff's father, which was published in America "in the knee breeches he wore when he appeared before King George V." The article went onto refer to a circular of the Savoy Orpheans Band, with a covering letter signed "Rudolph Mayer," in which big terms for flying matinées were asked for after performances at the Queen's Hall, where the band expected to meet the Prince of Wales. The co-defendants with Mr. Glover, as editor, were the publishers of the journal and Messrs. Billing and Co., Ltd., of Guildford, printers. The paragraph suggested that the use of Royal names for purposes of advertisement was in very bad taste, and that the Royal Family did not like it.

The defence was a denial that Mr. Glover wrote the words comlained of, or that they were capable of defamatory meaning, and that they were true in substance and in fact.

Mr. Glover conducted his own case, and in his address to the jury said that "the Prince of Wales had been made a decoy duck, so that the band could go into town, scoop out the money, and go back to play at the Savoy at night."

Mr. Glover said that he only accused Mr. Mayer of bad taste, and, without warning, a write for libel was served on him.

THE DAIL AND ITS WORK.

LIKELY TOPICS OF DEBATE.

MR. WALSH AND TILLAGE.

TWO IMPENDING BY-ELECTIONS.

FROM OUR POLITICAL CORRESPONDENT.

TO-DAY, after three months' rest, the members of the Free State Parliament return to work.

Since they were dismissed for the Summer Recess on the 8th of last July, many things have happened. To begin with, there were the speeches of the Postmaster-General, the report of the Intoxicating Liquor Commission, and the discovery by the Minister for Justice of a remarkable conspiracy to wreck the Shannon scheme.

Other things, not less important, have been the decision of the Executive Council to establish a separate Medical Register for the Irish Free State, the conclusion of the Boundary Commission's sittings, the beginning of the tedious Shannon wages dispute, Dr. MacNeill's definite espousal of the cause of compulsory Irish, the visit of the Irish farmers to Denmark, and, lastly, the creation of a vacancy in the Parliamentary representation of County Dublin caused by the death of Mr. Darrell Figgis.

Virtually every one of these events is likely to be brought prominently to the notice of the public during the six or seven weeks which must elapse before the Christmas holidays.

One anticipates that the Shannon wages dispute will be the first matter to receive attention. It has been almost three months in progress, and although there have been conferences between representatives of the Government, of Labour, and of the contractors, there is no indication of an approach towards a settlement.

It is understood that Mr. Thomas Johnson, who has returned from his visit to America, will refer to the dispute immediately after question time to-day, but it is unlikely that the matter will be debated in the absence of the Minister of Industry and Commerce. The President, no doubt, will suggest to the Labour Party that the better course would be to defer discussion until the arrival of Mr. McGilligan, when an opportunity could be given for a full debate. Mr. McGilligan is expected to arrive home either to-morrow or on Thursday.

MR. WALSH'S SPEECHES.

The Postmaster-General's speeches during the past few months are likely to occupy a good deal of the time and attention of deputies in the near future. In his campaign for the extension of tillage, Mr. Walsh has enlisted the support of a Committee of members of both Dail and Senate. The Committee is an unofficial body, but since it is representative of both houses of the Oireachtas, its recommendations are certain to receive consideration from the Executive Council. Yesterday, for instance, members of the Committee conferred with the Minister for Finance at Government Buildings for nearly two hours. The attendance included, in addition to Mr. Walsh, Messrs. William Sears, T.D.; J. N. Dolan, T.D., and Mr. Burke, Chief Organiser of Cumann na nGaedheal. The members of the Committee placed certain proposals before Mr. Blythe, but the nature of his reply is unknown.

"There have been many suggestions in the Press and elsewhere recently that my Committee is endeavouring to get a system of compulsory tillage adopted by the Government," said Mr. Walsh, in the course of conversation with me, after the conference. "The fact is that we are devising ways and means for the extension of tillage, and I can state that we have not even considered the question of compulsion as the means of effecting that end. We have just had an interview with the Minister for Finance; but we did not discuss the question of compulsion. We have not, as I say, even considered the question, and all suggestions to the contrary are without foundation."

There is no doubt that more will be heard of Mr. Walsh's campaign in favour of increased tillage, and in all probability the Farmers' Party will take the earliest opportunity of eliciting Mr. Hogan's views on the subject.

THE CHRISTMAS ADJOURNMENT.

Seldom, in the brief history of the present House, has so much important business accumulated during a Parliamentary holiday. In the circumstances one is inclined to believe that the Christmas adjournment may be an exceptionally short one; but some indications of the Government's intentions in that respect, and in respect of the legislative programme for the weeks immediately ahead, is likely to be forthcoming to-day or to-morrow.

It is, perhaps, a trifle unfortunate that at a time when so much business awaits disposal by the Government and the Dail two by-elections should be pending. Reference has been made to the death of Mr. Darrell Figgis, one of the members for Dublin County. Since the death of Mr. Figgis a second vacancy would appear to have been created by the imprisonment, with hard labour, of Mr. Sean McGuinness, T.D., on a charge of assaulting Civic Guards. Mr. McGuinness is a Republican Deputy for Leix-Offaly. It is understood that his sentence automatically disqualifies him for membership of the Dail. The fact that sentence of imprisonment has been passed upon him must be reported to the Speaker before a Deputy can be disqualified.

With regard to the first vacancy—that in County Dublin—it is believed that a writ for the by-election will be issued during the next couple of weeks. Rumour already is busy with the names of probable candidates for the seat, one of those mentioned being Mr. Enda B. Healy, solicitor, a member of the Killiney Urban Council.

TO-DAY'S AGENDA.

The agenda for to-day's meeting of the lower Chamber contains little of outstanding interest. Apart from the Shannon wages dispute, the only business appears to be the Committee stages of the Electricity Supply (Special Powers), Adaptation of Charters, and Oil in Navigable Waters Bills, and the second stage of the Owenmore Drainage Bill.

The deputies will assemble in a chamber which has been improved vastly in appearance since the House adjourned in July. For fully three months a staff of carpenters, painters, and cleaners from the Board of Works has been renovating this and every other room and corridor in Leinster House. Twenty additional seats have been placed in a semi-circle before the Speaker's chair. Coincident with this extension of the seating capacity of the House is the display (by the Leinster House authorities) in the Press rooms of a list of the Republican deputies. After the name of Mr. McGuinness is written the word "disqualified"; and after the name of Mr. Sean P. MacCurtain is the name of an English prison in which he is confined. Alterations in the Dail Chamber include the raising of the floor by several inches. The leather upholstered chairs, with which the House is now equipped, have been supplied by Messrs. T. R. Scott, Dublin. All the work in the Chamber has been carried out under the supervision of Mr. Allbury, Chief Architect of the Board of Works.

A LIVELY "WAKE."

The Enniskillen magistrates dealt with a series of assault charges arising out of a "wake" on the 17th October. There was a free fight between some women; hair was pulled out, and one, lifting a stone, gave another a black eye. Next day the feud was resumed, and a constable was called in to make peace. All the cases were dismissed with a caution.

DEATH OF MAJOR-GENERAL W. E. BUNBURY.

The Times states that Major General William Edwin Bunbury, C.B., Indian Army, retired, died suddenly on Saturday at Chope Barton, North Devon, at the age of 67. He was a son of the late Bishop of Limerick.

COL. W. GUINNESS IN THE CABINET.

TO BE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE.

"APPOINTMENT NOT IN DOUBT."

It is no longer in doubt (says the Political Correspondent of the Central News) that Colonel Walter Guinness is succeeding Mr. Wood (the new Viceroy of India) as Minister of Agriculture. The official announcement may be expected any day. Colonel Guinness will then appeal to the electors of Bury St. Edmund's to approve of his promotion to the Cabinet. As his majority is between six and seven thousand, it is possible that he may have a walk-over at the by-election.

His successor as Financial Secretary to the Treasury is not yet certain. Mr. A. M. Samuel, who has done so well as Parliamentary Secretary to the Overseas Trade Department, is mentioned, and would be a very good appointment. There is, however, a probability that an ex-Minister who is not in the House at present might be considered. Major Hills, it will be remembered, was actually appointed Financial Secretary to the Treasury in the Bonar Law Government, but after losing his seat at Durham he had the further misfortune of again losing a by-election at Edge Hill, Liverpool, in March, 1923, and on this he had to resign the Financial Secretaryship.

There is at least a possibility, to put it no stronger, that he might be the candidate for Ripon when Mr. Wood resigns, and, if he is returned, he might regain the Ministerial office which he held, but never answered for, in the House of Commons.

Colonel Walter Guinness, who was born in Dublin in 1880, is the third son of the first Earl of Iveagh. Educated at Eton, where he rowed three years in the Eight and was captain of the boats, he served through the South African war, was wounded and was mentioned in despatches.

He served also in the European war, was thrice mentioned in despatches, was awarded the D.S.O. in 1917, and was awarded a bar to it in 1918. He was Under-Secretary of State for War in 1922.

He was Assistant Secretary to the 1917-18 War Cabinet, and British official representative on the Permanent Mandates Commission of the League of Nations. He married Lady Evelyn Erskine, third daughter of the 14th Earl of Buchan, in 1903.

RAIN, STORM AND FLOODS.

SHANNON OVERFLOWS.

Sunday was one of the wettest days experienced in the Carrick-on-Shannon district in recent years.

As a result of twelve hours of incessant rain the Shannon's banks in large areas bordering on Carrick-on-Shannon, in Leitrim, and Roscommon have been overflown to an alarming extent. Those root crops which were unsaved have been lost.

Never at this time of year have the floods been so extensive. The result of Sunday's rainfall is that greater damage has been done by the flooding than was done last winter, when the rainfall was abnormal.

A fierce gale blew at times, uprooting trees and doing other damage.

The heavy rain and storms of the past few days have swollen the rivers in Fermanagh. Lough Erne, which was at its lowest for forty years, has risen nineteen inches within a few days, and low-lying lands are threatened with flooding.

As a result of the terrible rainstorm on Sunday last all the low-lying meadow-land in the neighbourhood of Armagh has been seriously flooded, and much damage has been done.

LABOUR GAINS.

RESULTS OF THE ENGLISH MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

With the results of nearly eighty provincial Municipal elections to hand at midnight, the indications were that Labour had substantially improved its position on the

At two o'clock this morning gains and losses were as follow:—

GAINS.	
Conservatives	26
Liberals	11
Labour	73
Independents	20
LOSSES	
Conservatives	49
Liberals	33
Labour	25
Independents	23

In London only ten results had been declared up to two o'clock. These showed a number of Labour gains, while in one Borough, Shoreditch, the Municipal Reform majority was wiped out, sixteen seats being lost to Labour, and six to Progressives.

ROUND THE WORLD.

PROJECTED TRIP LEADS TO FAILURE.

Unsecured liabilities of apparently £50,000, with assets of only a few hundreds, were mentioned by the Official Receiver at the first meeting of creditors, at Bankruptcy Buildings, London, yesterday, under a receiving order made against Maurice Allan Robinson, Victoria street, Westminster, whose failure had arisen from the falling through of a projected trip round the world in the motor yacht Westward.

The Official Receiver said that Robinson was originally a bank clerk, and afterwards was a bank manager, also acting as managing director of a textile company. In April last year he became interested in the scheme for a world tour, and provided £10,000 for the purchase of the Westward, obtaining it by loan on security of his shareholding in the textile company. Expenses, estimated at £70,000, were incurred in fitting and reconstructing the vessel, the debtor executing a mortgage over the hull for £45,000. He stated that the mortgage was suddenly called in, and that this ruined his prospects. In an effort to retrieve the position he had recourse to money-lenders, to whom he now owed £7,000.

The debtor said that he was trying to arrange for the vessel to be taken over by certain people, and for the payment off of the mortgage. The vessel was worth £60,000 as a going concern.

A trustee of the estate was appointed.

BELFAST EDUCATION DIFFICULTIES SOLVED.

TEACHERS' SALARIES AND FEEDING OF SCHOOL CHILDREN.

Replying to members at the Belfast City Council yesterday, Alderman Duff said that a solution had been arrived at of the difficulties which had arisen between the Belfast Education Authority and the Government with reference to the salaries of Technical College teachers.

With regard to the feeding of necessitous school children, everything was being done to expedite this aspect of the Education Committee's activities. They had already appointed a chief cook and they had yet to appoint an organiser.

LATE NEWS.

SPIRITUAL DANGER.

INSPIRING APPEAL.

In a leading article *The Times* observes:—A noble and inspiring appeal is made to the nation to-day by the Archbishops of Canterbury and York and the Moderator of the Federal Council of the Free Churches. It is an appeal to the nation's heart and soul and ought to stir its highest impulse and resolve. We are approaching Armistice Day, a day of days on which we rejoice with tears, and our proud and exalted emotions are chastened by never-forgotten sorrows and an undying sense of loss. It is a day on which each personal sorrow is mingled, yet not submerged, in a common sorrow, and we are one nation, one people, one brotherhood, humbly and reverently remembering a great deliverance, and the price at which it was obtained. Before the austere memorial in Whitehall, and beside the grave of the Unknown Warrior in Westminster Abbey, we shall recall, a few days hence, those four long, agonising years, and picture once again the England that we then resolved should be the England of the future. The resolves of those days have been hard to make good. But as we approach Armisticetide and catch again the gleams and hints of things as they might be, we realise once more that those resolves were born of hopes too fair to turn out false.

The years since 1918 have for the most part been years of disillusionment. They have not brought us prosperity and content, but unemployment and unrest. There has no longer been one dominant, all-absorbing interest to unite, but many divergent and conflicting interests to sunder and divide.

The signatories to the appeal are not the less, but the better, qualified to address themselves on this subject and in this manner to the nation, because of the high position they hold in the Churches. The danger that threatens is not the material danger of 1914, marching with armies and cannon, but a spiritual danger that, if not averted, would destroy within the nation the bonds of a common humanity and the foundations of the common weal. They are content, and it is the prerogative of their high office to summon men of all stations and classes to pay attention to the noblest and best of human sentiments, and, moved by such a temper, to renew a lofty resolve to find a way out of all our difficulties. They would have us "hate to be at variance," and in unity to seek that national good which is the well-being of all.

KING GEORGE III.

HISTORICAL STUDENT'S DISCOVERY.

In an article in *The Times*, which is to be continued, the Hon. John Fortescue writes:—Regarding the recovery of King George III's papers in the early summer of 1912, there were brought to Windsor Castle a large bunch of rusty keys and a collection of some 36 chests and boxes of all sizes, shapes and materials. These last contained King George IV.'s papers, which had for 82 years been buried in a cellar. A small group of men stood ready to receive them, among them an historical student, who in his secret heart had built high hopes upon the discovery of this hoard.

A large iron bound box was first opened—not without violence, for locks and keys alike had suffered from age—and a packet was taken out of it, which filled the student at once with delight and despair. It seemed to be no more than a mass of sodden pulp, but there was writing to be seen on it, and he recognised the hand of Lord North. It was known that George III. had arranged his papers for the first forty years of his reign with his own hand. Evidently George IV.'s papers included those of George III. Here were the records certainly of forty, probably of fifty, eventful years. Further investigation showed that, apart from this packet, few papers had suffered any material damage.

Meanwhile, the work of unpacking proceeded, and fragmentally the whole of the old King's long life was laid bare. Here were his first writing books and his early childish essays, and German exercises and French exercises, and Italian exercises and Latin exercises, and laborious drawings of cubes and cones and hexagons, and other forbidding but instructive objects. Here also were fruits of his maturer studies, lengthy but succinct accounts of English constitutional practice, commercial policy, principles of taxation, of the peculiar work done by every English King, and of the general course of English and European history, all neatly written in a good, clear hand. And of a much later day there was a series of programmes for weekly concerts, extending over a period of months, to remind the reader that behind all these branches of study there lay a passion for music, joined to skill in playing on the harpsichord. Though thankful for his own grounding in Latin and Greek grammar and syntax, the student rather envied George III. the breadth and scope of his education.

COMPENSATION.

MR. AMERY AND SOUTHERN IRISH CLAIMS.

The following letter has been received from the Secretary of State for the Colonies, in reply to a letter from the Chairman of the Committee of the Irish Claims Compensation Association:—

"Downing street, 31st Oct., 1925.

"SIR,—I am directed by Mr. Secretary Amery to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of October 27, and to express his regret that he has not previously been in a position to furnish you with the information for which you asked in your letter of September 4th. Mr. Amery now hopes that the Committee will consist of the following members:—The Right Hon. the Lord Dunedin, G.C.V.O., Chairman; the Right Hon. Lord Eustace Percy, M.P.; the Duke of Northumberland, O.B.E., M.V.O.; the Right Hon. the Earl of Selborne, K.G., G.C.M.G.; the Earl of Clarendon, the Lord Danesfort, K.C.; and Mr. G. G. Whiskard, of this office, will act as Secretary to the Committee, and Major Jamieson, Secretary of the Irish Grants Committee, will act as Assistant Secretary to the Committee. The Committee will not meet earlier than the second week in November.

"It will, of course, be for the Committee to decide whether they desire any information from your Association; but the letter addressed to the Secretary of State by the Secretary of the Association, dated October 23, will be brought before the Committee.

"I am, sir, your obedient servant,

(Signed) "A. C. C. PARKINSON."

ARTS AND CRAFTS IN BELFAST.

EXHIBITION OPENED BY THE DUCHESS OF ABERCORN.

The Duchess of Abercorn yesterday opened the Arts and Crafts Exhibition in the Minor Hall, Y.M.C.A. Building, Belfast. The Chairman (Mr. J. H. Robb, K.C., M.P.) said that the object of the Exhibition was to encourage good craftsmanship and foster good taste. Public taste was not always well informed, and the tendency of modern industry was to manufacture that which would sell, and not that which was good in itself. They stood for an endeavour to lift the level of public taste, and entered their protest against the manufacture of articles, no matter of what kind, simply because they would sell.

The Duchess of Abercorn said that she was naturally interested in the advancement of the arts and crafts in Ulster, and she trusted that the Exhibition would go far to increase that interest. It struck her that work was rather like the "quality of mercy." It was "twice blessed." She hoped it brought blessing to those who produced it, and she was sure it gave pleasure to those who saw those beautiful objects exhibited.

FOREIGN TRAWLERS' MENACE.

The Litterkenny Fishery Board, at its last meeting, passed a resolution declaring that foreign trawlers are frequently coming within the prescribed area and taking fish, and asking the Ministry to provide further protection by way of motor or other similarly propelled boats, to ascertain the identity of such trawlers.

It was also decided to request the Ministry to provide for the payment of the travelling expenses of members of the Board attending the meetings.

DUBLIN TRAFFIC PROBLEMS.

SACKVILLE STREET PLANS.

MONUMENTS TO BE REMOVED.

NEW STREET ISLANDS AND SHELTERS.

Officials of the Dublin Corporation Streets Department expect that before the end of the present week they will be able to begin the work of demolishing the ruins in Upper Sackville street as a preliminary to the widening of Cathedral street and the construction of a new wide thoroughfare between Gloucester street and the Northern end of Sackville street.

The completion of the Gloucester street work, which will supply a new artery between the North side of the city and Amiens street and the North Wall, will be the beginning of a series of changes and improvements rendered necessary by the demands of modern traffic, which will alter the appearance and every-day life of Sackville street.

STREET ACCIDENTS INCREASING.

THE TRAFFIC BILL.

The key idea of these improvements is the removal of the Nelson Pillar and the shifting of the tramway traffic centre from the front of the General Post Office to the northern end of the street. As already announced in the *Irish Times*, the taking down of the Pillar is accepted by the City Commissioners as a policy the carrying-out of which awaits only the claims of more urgent public work.

An *Irish Times* representative who called to the police department responsible for the regulation of the street traffic was informed that a complete system for the whole of the city will be possible only when new legislation is passed by the Oireachtas. A draft bill, comprehensive in its scope, has been with the Ministry for Home Affairs for some time. On an average, one hundred people are injured in street accidents in Dublin every month, and the police regard that as a serious state of affairs which is likely to grow worse in the present circumstances.

DEFINITE CROSSING PLACES.

The main proposals of the draft bill are based on the conviction that "safety first" must be made compulsory. When it becomes law pedestrians will be liable to prosecution if they cross the street except at definite crossing-places indicated by notices. The principle of that regulation is carried through all the provisions of the bill.

While waiting for the larger powers that legislation only can give, the authorities have prepared plans for the better regulation of the traffic and the consequent greater safety of the public in Sackville street and on O'Connell Bridge and the arteries leading to them. In ten hours of one day in November, 1923, over 33,000 vehicles of all kinds passed through the area between D'Olier street and Westmoreland street at one end of the bridge and at the O'Connell Monument at the other. A census taken at the Nelson Pillar between the hours of 4 and 6 p.m. on an ordinary week-day in June last returned the average traffic of all kinds at that spot at 38 vehicles per minute. Only a small proportion of that movement was from Henry street to Earl street or *vice versa*.

D'OLIER STREET CORNER.

The plans for improvement at O'Connell Bridge provide for the removal of the Smith-O'Brien statue to the island on the bridge. The position of the statue is such that almost the whole of the vehicular traffic at the busiest point in the city is confined to 39 feet of roadway, while 72 feet between it and the island is not heavily worked. The plans also provide for a better utilisation of the road space on the bridge by drawing the tramway lines closer to the island. The carrying-out of this improvement will necessitate the clipping of about six feet off the sides of the base of the O'Connell Monument. When that is done there will be room for two lines of vehicular traffic outside the tram lines on each side of the island.

The Nelson Pillar occupies 2,000 square feet of road space and stands directly in the way of traffic east to west and *vice versa*. Just south of the Pillar a space of 61 feet is taken up by the tramway terminus. The increasing congestion there has caused the authorities serious thought, and they expect that the problem will be accentuated with the reopening of the General Post Office and the creation of a new shopping centre around that part of Henry street.

SHELTERS IN SACKVILLE STREET.

The plans for the improvement of the traffic conditions on the North side of the Pillar provide for a double set of tramway lines, with islands between the Father Matthew statue and the Parnell monument. These islands will be the waiting places for tramway passengers, and they will be provided with shelters of an ornamental design. The contemplated tramway terminus arrangements are something on the lines of those in operation in Piccadilly, Manchester.

These are the principal changes for which plans have been prepared by the traffic authority, and which may be carried through without new legislation.

ABBEY PLAY FOR LONDON.

TWO NEW WORKS.

Mr. Sean O'Casey's play, "Juno and the Paycock," which has been so popular at the Abbey Theatre, Dublin, is to be presented at the Royalty Theatre, London, on the 16th inst. This will be its first presentation in England. The principals in the cast are Miss Sara Allgood, the original "Juno," Miss Maire O'Neill, and Mr. Arthur Sinclair. "Juno" will follow "The Playboy of the Western World," whose reception at the Royalty Theatre, London, has induced the management to continue its run for a fortnight.

Mr. O'Casey has written a new play, entitled "The Plough and the Stars," which deals with the Dublin life of his earlier works. Another Abbey playwright, Mr. Brinsley MacNamara, has written a play with the title "Look at the Heffernans," a dramatic presentation of Irish rural life in the twentieth century. Both plays have been submitted to the Abbey management.

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PARTY REUNION IN SOUTH AFRICA.

GENERAL SMUTS'S EFFORT.

WILLING TO STAND ASIDE.

CAPE TOWN, Monday.

General Smuts has been the principal speaker in a South African Party rally organised throughout the Orange Free State, in which province the party at present does not hold a single seat.

Interviewed on the conclusion of the tour, General Smuts declared himself highly pleased at the disappearance of the bitterness of the past. On several occasions, he said, he had discussed the question of a *rapprochement* between the South African Party and the Nationalist Party, declaring his belief that in the end they would have new governing and Opposition parties. He had been repeatedly told that people wanted a reunion of parties. To this he had replied that, with good-will, a solution would be found, but that the South African Party could not desert the former Unionist members of the party. Moreover, he added, the initiative must come from the people.

Questioned at one meeting as to whether he was willing to stand aside, General Smuts said that he was certainly prepared to stand aside or to do anything else to help the people out of the present difficulty.

The English Press in South Africa is apparently unwilling to discuss such an eventuality, and it pays a tribute to General Smuts's refusal to abandon his British comrades.

The *Cape Times* says:—General Hertzog's guarded allusions, in his speech early in September, to the improbability of the parties continuing on the present basis seem to show that he has been thinking along the lines which political circles are freely discussing throughout South Africa. There is unquestionably a growing sense of unreality in the present lines of party division; but nobody, excepting, perhaps, Mr. Tielman Roos, the leader of the Transvaal Nationalists, would wish to see any short cuts attempted to a new system.

With reference to the above, it may be recalled that Mr. Tielman Roos specifically stated that a reunion of the two parties was only to be achieved by members of the South African Party joining the Nationalists unconditionally.

The Bloemfontein Nationalist organ, moreover, asks how the Nationalists can be expected to unite with the Unionist wing of the South African Party.—(Reuter.)

NATIONAL EGG-LAYING COMPETITIONS.

REMARKABLE RESULTS IN VARIOUS CLASSES.

(FROM OUR AGRICULTURAL CORRESPONDENT.)

Poultry-keepers from all parts of Ireland entered for the National Egg-Laying Competition, conducted by the Department of Lands and Agriculture at the Munster Institute, Cork, from October 16th, 1924, to September 15th, 1925. This fact makes the results all the more instructive. These show remarkable successes on the part of competitors from the North. They also indicate that birds laying the largest number of eggs are not necessarily the most valuable, since the first prize pen in each section is not responsible for the biggest total, although the value is highest.

The competition covered a period of 48 weeks, and comprised a total of 58 pens of pullets of various breeds and ten pens of Indian Runner ducks. The number of birds in each pen of pullets was six, and in each pen of ducks four.

WHITE LEGHORNS LEAD.

In the case of the pullets, the competing birds were grouped in three sections.

The first was for Leghorns (any variety), Black Minorcas and Anconas. Here Mrs. L'Estrange, The Rectory, Killylea, Armagh, took first prize with White Leghorns, which also won the £10 cup for the pen of pullets, of any breed, laying eggs of the highest market value during the competition. For a pullet which laid 267 eggs, valued at £2 1s. 6d., Mrs. L'Estrange won the special prize for the pullet laying eggs of highest market value in the section.

The prize-winners were:—

	Eggs Laid.	Value of Eggs.	Average Eggs per Bird.
1st Prize, Mrs. L'Estrange, The Rectory, Killylea — White Leghorn	1369	£10 13 11	228 1/6
2nd Prize, Mrs. Studdert, Corofin, Co. Clare —White Leghorn	1382	£10 3 0	230 2/3
3rd Prize, Mrs. M. Cryan, Cloonloo, Boyle—White Leghorn	1218	£9 5 9	203
4th Prize, Mr. M. J. Dooley, Moylough—White Leghorn	1159	£8 9 7	193 1/6

WHITE WYANDOTTES.

In this section the special prize for the pullet laying eggs of highest market value went to Mr. A. J. MacGillicuddy for one that laid 278 valued at £2 3s. 1½d. The special prize for the pen which laid eggs of the highest market value from October 16th, 1924, to February 16th, 1925, went to Mrs. L'Estrange, Killylea, for her White Wyandottes. Other awards were:—

	Eggs Laid.	Value of Eggs.	Average Eggs per Bird.
1st Prize, Lady Dunleath, Ballywalter Park, County Down—White Wyandotte	1285	£10 7 6	214 1/6
2nd Prize, Mrs. Walsh, Murroe, Co. Limerick—White Wyandotte	1362	£10 2 0	227
3rd Prize, Mrs. Porter Porter, Lisbellaw, Co. Fermanagh—White Wyandotte	1267	£9 16 7	211 1/6
4th Prize, Mrs. L'Estrange, Killylea—White Wyandotte	1181	£9 13 7	196 5/6

OTHER HEAVY BREEDS.

In this section all the honours went to Rhode Island Reds, as follow:—

	Eggs Laid.	Value of Eggs.	Average Eggs per Bird.
1st Prize, The Langford Lodge Poultry Farm, Crumlin, Co. Antrim—Rhode Island Red	1298	£9 16 2	216 2/3
2nd Prize, Mrs. Marshall, White Cross — Rhode Island Red	1148	£9 10 6	191 1/3
3rd Prize, Mrs. Chearnley, Cappoquin — Rhode Island Red	1255	£9 8 2	209 1/6
4th Prize, Millview Poultry Farm, Malahide, County Dublin —Rhode Island Red	1065	£8 5 10	177 1/2

The special prize for the duck laying eggs of the highest market value during the competition was awarded to Mrs. Marshall, Keadybeg, White Cross, Armagh, for a bird which laid 280 eggs, value £2 5s. 4d. Other winners were:—

	Eggs Laid.	Value of Eggs.	Average Eggs per Bird.
1st Prize, Mrs. Marshall, Keadybeg, Whitecross, Armagh—White Runner	881	£7 2 4	220 1/4
2nd Prize, Mrs. Ly. Tallent, Sheestown, Kilkenny — Fawn and White Runner	760	£6 6 10	190
3rd Prize, Mrs. Cruite, Three Castles, Kilkenny — Fawn and White Runner	788	£6 1 11	197

DOCTOR AWARDED DAMAGES.

Dr. Donald Owen, a young pathologist at the School of Tropical Medicine, Liverpool University, was, at Liverpool Assizes yesterday, awarded £1,200 and costs against the Liverpool Corporation.

Riding a motor cycle, he was emerging from a side street when he was involved in a collision with a tramcar, and sustained a compound fracture of the right leg. He was in hospital for nineteen weeks, and underwent four operations.

BUSINESS FIRMS

Requiring Women Typists or Clerks should call or 51354 (ROSSE COLLEGE, Stephen's Green). 204 Certificates in Shorthand, Typewriting, etc., gained by pupils since January, 1924.—(Advt.)

DUBLIN DRAINAGE WORKS EXTENSION.

COMMISSIONERS ASK FOR £152,000 LOAN.

An application for a loan of £152,500, required for drainage works by the Dublin Borough Commissioners, was the subject of an inquiry held by Mr. Nicholas O'Dwyer, Local Government Department Inspector, at the City Hall, yesterday.

Mr. Vincent Rice, K.C., and Mr. Philip White, Barrister-at-Law (instructed by Mr. I. J. Rice, Law Agent) appeared for the City Commissioners. Mr. John T. Doyle, solicitor, appeared for the South Dublin Rural District Council. Mr. W. J. Larkin appeared on behalf of the Town Tenants' Association.

Mr. Vincent Rice said that the present system of drainage of the City of Dublin dated from 1891, and provided for the drainage of the city and of the districts of Clontarf, Clonliffe, Drumcondra, Glasnevin and Grangegorman. The scheme for which the loan was required was based on a report adopted by the Commissioners in August, 1924. In that report it was contemplated to raise a loan of £86,275, made up as follows:—Completion of North Lotts drainage, £24,675; Chapelizod drainage, £33,600; and Crumlin and South Circular road area, £28,000. These were only preliminary works, and the Commissioners now asked for a loan of £152,500 to cover the earlier scheme, and, in addition, to lay a sewer in the Tolka Valley to drain Upper Drumcondra, and to make certain improvement works at the Main Drainage Pumping Station, Pigeon House road.

The revised estimates for the whole works were:—North Lotts Drainage, £40,622; Chapelizod, £33,843; Crumlin, etc., £37,826; Tolka Valley sewer, £18,085; Ringsend Pumping Station, £22,000. Total, £152,376.

Counsel outlined the nature of the works. In the North Lotts area, he said, almost the whole of the sewers had been laid, and the work to be done consisted in the erection of three pumping stations and short lengths of sewers. The increase in the estimate was mainly due to provisions for the construction of a rising main through the Liffey tunnel.

The plans also provided for laying a main sewer from Chapelizod village to Parkgate street, on the north side of the River Liffey. Two pumping stations would be erected.

SOUTH CIRCULAR ROAD.

It was proposed to drain that portion of the city lying South of the Grand Canal at Rialto Bridge and Dolphin's Barn, and also the rural area south of that district, including the village of Crumlin. This had an area which was being rapidly built upon. A 24-inch sewer would be laid from the main drainage works at Old Kilmainham through the grounds of the Dublin Union, and under both branches of the Grand Canal to the south side of Herberton Bridge. It was also proposed to lay a culvert to divert into the Camac River the surface water at present taken by the county road. This work had already been taken in hands, and £13,799 expenditure incurred, of which £9,585 had been defrayed out of the Government grant for relief of unemployment.

It was further proposed to lay a 30-inch sewer from the main drain at Poplar row, along portion of Clonliffe road, thence by a 27-inch main along the south bank of the River Tolka to Drumcondra Bridge. Here an 18-inch sewer would join up with existing sewer in Botanic avenue, and a 24-inch sewer would be laid under the river to Drumcondra road and Millmount avenue. The work had been started under the Government relief grant, and expenditure of £8,974 incurred, of which £6,172 had been defrayed by the Government. The expenditure of £22,000 for work at Ringsend Pumping Station included £5,000 for machinery and £17,000 for construction work. The proposal was to construct two detritus chambers in parallel on the low level sewer.

Mr. John J. Murphy, Town Clerk, outlined in greater detail the nature of works proposed under the loan.

Mr. Moynihan, City Engineer, said that the area to be drained in Crumlin district was 1,035 acres. Of these, 315 were inside the existing boundary. Assuming that there were eight houses to the acre, and eight persons in each house, this would provide for a population of 65,000 people. In the Tolka Valley the area in the existing city to be drained was 700 acres, and in the outlying area 300 acres. On the same basis of assumption this would give a population of 96,000.

TECHNICAL EVIDENCE.

In reply to Mr. Larkin, witness said that the question of a building scheme for Crumlin had been dismissed by the Commissioners, but nothing definite had been decided, except that the area was suitable for building purposes.

Mr. J. Sidney Alford, Consulting Engineer, gave technical evidence as to the work and the results which would be achieved. Mr. Larkin asked if the work would result in improving the drainage conditions of Oriel street and the area where the people were often flooded out.

Witness said that it was hoped that the new scheme would improve matters very much, but he could not give any guarantee that the flooding would be completely abated.

Mr. Patrick Caffrey, Chairman of the South Dublin Rural District Council, gave evidence in support of the scheme, as far as it applied to the Crumlin and Chapelizod districts. The Crumlin area, he said, was becoming more and more important from the building point of view. Numbers of new houses were being built, but the district was in a deplorable state from the drainage point of view. The Iveagh Trust proposed to build 130 new houses, and the Brickwork Company would also require about 100, but the Council could not entertain any plans or encourage building while the present drainage system continued. The extension of the drainage system to Chapelizod would enable the Council to link up the Palmerstown, Ballyfermot, and Clondalkin areas with the city drainage. The Council had in view a scheme for these areas, and it was necessary that they should proceed with it at once.

A FILM OF THE WEEK.

"LITTLE ANNIE ROONEY."

Many and varied have been the aspects of slum life which from time to time have formed the subject of films, and usually the aim has been to reproduce that sordid, grim, or hopeless outlook of the dwellers in dingy tenements. Whether in London, New York, or Paris, the atmosphere is the same; slum-dwellers are alike the world o'er. But life in these "down-town" regions has its bright and humorous side, and among the children there is a wonderful, happy, and care-free disposition, which compels, in some respects, the envy of those more favourably placed in the community. This is the aspect of slum life which it is sought to reflect in a very interesting film which, under the title "Little Annie Rooney," is being exhibited at the Metropole Cinema, Dublin, this week.

Annie is the twelve-year-old daughter of a New York policeman, and without the guiding influence of the mother in the home she is inclined "to run wild." The film depicts her as the leader of a gang of boys engaged in a never-ceasing strife with another gang. They throw stones, bricks, and all sorts of missiles at each other, and indulge in fisticuffs, in all of which Annie is a regular "tomboy"—"She ain't a girl; she's a wildcat," one caption declares. These youngsters, tattered and torn, wild as untamed colts, revel in their endless fights and struggles in the ruins of old, dismantled houses, utterly unmindful of the sinister figures of rogues and jailbirds dwelling in their midst. Annie's father, a big, warm-hearted type, is shot by one of these rogues, whom he has unwittingly offended. A youth whom Annie idolises in her childish way is suspected of the crime. The manner in which the mystery is solved is very interesting.

The central part is played by Mary Pickford. It is hard to realise that the wildcat here depicted—the hoyden with a propensity for stone-throwing and rough-and-tumble street fighting—can be the Mary Pickford of, say, "Rosita" or "Dorothy Vernon." She enters into the spirit of the part with a zest that simply takes away the breath, and withal there are moments when she is a very winsome little piece of feminity. Her playful way when wheedling some "goodies" from her father, and, later, her reception of the news of his death on the night of his birthday is very affecting. She naturally is the dominating figure in the film; but one could not but reflect on the potentiality for film-acting shown by many of the youngsters who take part in the piece. For instance, one with a very striking Semitic cast of countenance, but with the name of Spec O'Donnell, showed unusual intelligence in his character interpretation. A very precocious youngster, too, is Eugene Jackson in a young negro part.

The film is worth seeing as well for the acting of Mary Pickford as for the unusual nature of its setting.

SYRIAN REVOLT.

PILLAGING BANDS STILL ACTIVE.

GENERAL SARRAIL'S SUCCESSOR.

FROM "THE TIMES" CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, Monday.

The Quai d'Orsay has received information from Beirut that General Sarrail, who is leaving for France on November 8, has already handed over his powers as High Commissioner to General Duport. It is understood that the Government is contemplating the appointment of a civilian official, competent to advise General Duport in the treatment of political problems during the period in which he will be charged with his present duties.

Reports which have been received still assert that there is no serious disorder in Syria at present, except that which is caused by the pillaging bands in the region of Damascus, and that, in particular, European residents in Syrian towns are not being molested.

It is not stated how far afield the bandits of the Damascus region travel; but obviously their suppression may necessitate military action over a wide area.

POST OFFERED TO M. PAUL DOUMER.

PARIS, Monday.

M. Paul Doumer, the former Finance Minister and ex-Governor of Indo-China, has been offered the post of High Commissioner in Syria, in succession to General Sarrail. He has not yet given his reply. M. Doumer is a member of the Senate.—(Reuter.)

R.D.S. MUSICAL RECITAL.

PHILLIPOWSKY'S PLAYING.

The beginning of the new season of musical recitals for members of the Royal Dublin Society had more than one point of interest.

In the first place, the Members' Hall at Ballsbridge was used for a recital for the first time. Of late years—when it could no longer use the Lecture Theatre at Leinster House—the Society held the musical recitals at the Theatre Royal. It has them now on its own premises again, but this time at Ballsbridge, which, henceforward, is to be the home of all its enterprises.

The second point was the holding of an evening recital as well as the usual afternoon recital. Evening recitals were thought of some time ago, when crowding at Leinster House came under remark. They were not started then, and the loss of the Lecture Theatre put the thought away. Making a fresh start at Ballsbridge, the Society is trying the plan of holding one evening recital in each month of the course.

The new hall is a pleasant place for the recitals; it remains to be seen whether its size is sufficient. Yesterday afternoon the hall was very crowded, and many latecomers had to stand against the book shelves. Pianists always have a large audience, and, since so many members came for one of Phillipowsky's two recitals, what will happen when Moiseiwitsch, a performer of much greater reputation, comes for one recital only?

If, on the other hand, some who came yesterday wanted, more than anything, to see the new hall, there will be room enough on other days for all the faithful.

As to acoustics, yesterday's recitals left no doubt that there is ample resonance. Near the back of the hall, pianoforte tone reached listeners with no loss of volume. What little there was of soft playing in the course of the afternoon programme was heard perfectly; for the greater part of the time the tone was rather more full than one desired.

The pianist had fears, perhaps, concerning the resonance of the hall; or he may have found the piano not answering to his touch as he wished. At all events, Phillipowsky's tone came to us hard, through excess of force, and the hardness passed into the manner of his interpretations. For the heaviness of the Bach Chaconne one was willing to blame Busoni's arrangement. As the pianist went through Schumann's *Fantasiestucke* and Chopin's Sonata in B minor (Opus 58), it became clear that he lacked sympathy for the more delicate phases of the music. How ready the audience was to be charmed by a daintier kind of music was evident in the signs of re-awakened interest when the pianist came to the delightful ripples of sound at the beginning of the Scriabin Sonata in F sharp; but charm was not a part of Phillipowsky's method.

With the more massive kind of music on the other hand, he was well fitted to cope. The greater the complexity of the material to be handled, the firmer was his grasp. The Busoni version of Bach's Chaconne was like a range of mountains brought into clear bird's-eye view by the pianist's method. *Aufschwung* and *Grillen*, in the Schumann group, he moulded easily under his hand. He clove an easy path through the Chopin Sonata, but we longed for the dewy drops that some wayfarers can shake from the boughs as they pass that way. The hard brilliance of the Rachmaninoff preludes was in keeping with his style, and his handling of the Scriabin Sonata confirmed the impression of dryness in interpretation with facility in execution.

At the later recital an entirely different programme was given. It contained Bach's English Suite, Mozart's Sonata with the *Rondo alla Turca*, Schumann's Fantasie, and a group of pieces by Spanish composers of to-day. The afternoon audience, on seeing that programme, must have wondered how Mozart would fare at Phillipowsky's hands—and, still more, perhaps, how the piano would come through it all. On the afternoon showing, Phillipowsky is forceful; perhaps, in recognition of his command of complexities, one should say, more generously, decisive.

PIANIST'S TRIBUTE TO THE NEW HALL.

At the close of the afternoon recital Mr. Phillipowsky expressed to the Director of the Society his congratulations on the remarkable acoustic properties of the hall. He said that from the first note he felt that the hall was tone perfect, and he was extremely anxious to know what the result was from the end of the hall. On assurances being given to him that the softest pianissimo passages could be heard most minutely and distinctly he was very delighted, and said that it was a particular pleasure to have the honour of being asked to give the first recital in the new hall.

The ventilation of the hall was also generally declared to be excellent, and there is every prospect that the recitals and lectures at Ballsbridge will mark another progressive era in the work of the Royal Dublin Society.

The attendance in the afternoon totalled 1,662, being greatly in excess of the average attendance for these recitals. The hall can, therefore, accommodate without difficulty 1,800 people. The attendance at the evening recital was 802.

ALL SOULS' DAY AT THE PRO-CATHEDRAL.

Yesterday, All Souls' Day, was observed by a Solemn Requiem Mass at the Pro-Cathedral, Marlborough street, Dublin, at which the Most Rev. Dr. Byrne, Archbishop of Dublin, presided. The assistants at the Throne were the Very Rev. John G. O'Reilly, Adm., and the Rev. Patrick Dunne, Archbishop's House. The celebrant was the Rev. J. P. Camac, C.C., Pro-Cathedral; deacon, the Rev. T. J. Farrell, C.C.; sub-deacon, the Rev. P. J. Dunlea, C.C. The master of ceremonies was the Rev. M. E. Murphy, C.C., Pro-Cathedral.

The sacred music was beautifully chanted by the students of Holy Cross College, Clonliffe, under the conductorship of the Rev. M. Dempsey, D.D., D.Mus. The Absolution was given by the Archbishop.

ABSENT COUNSEL.

When the business of the Cork Circuit Court (East Riding) was resumed yesterday, Judge Kenny announced that if witnesses, solicitors, and counsel were not in attendance when cases which were fixed were called, he would strike them out. They must be in attendance, otherwise he could not get on with the business.

BANK CLERKSHIPS.

Since January, 1921, 347 Students of SKERRY'S COLLEGE, 76 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, were successful at Bank exams.—viz., National 129, Bank of Ireland 55, Munster and Leinster 53, Hibernian 52, Provincial 39, Ulster 10, Northern, Royal, etc., 9. Special Oral and Correspondence Classes now working for all Bank exams.—(Advt.)

DRUNKEN MOTORIST CONVICTED.

CRASHED INTO A HORSE AND VAN.

At Strabane Petty Sessions yesterday, District Inspector Lynn prosecuted Alexander Erskine, a commercial traveller, of Oldpark road, Belfast, for driving a motor car in a manner dangerous to the public, and on a second summons for drunkenness in charge of a motor car on October 21.

Constable Graham said that at Bridge street, Strabane, he saw a motor car approaching the centre of the town. There was a man lying in the car in a drunken condition. A gentleman made a statement, and pointed him out as the man who had been driving the car when an accident occurred. Witness spoke to defendant, who admitted he had been driving the car when the accident occurred. Another man was driving the car.

Patrick Henderson said that he was standing at his door when he saw a motor car zig-zagging along the street. The car crashed into a horse and van, dashing it along for about twenty yards and jambing it against a wall. The accident occurred owing to the manner in which the car was being driven. Witness pointed out the defendant as the man who was driving the car on the occasion.

Thomas M'Crea, Bridge street, said that he saw a motor car on the footpath at his premises, and on running out found the car was still racing. The car bounded across the road, then rebounded, and afterwards passed out of his view over the bridge.

Defendant did not appear, and the Chairman (Captain Gosselin, R.M.), remarking that it was a very serious offence, announced that the majority of the Bench convicted, and ordered defendant one month's imprisonment in each case, the sentences to run concurrently.

THE CHURCH OVERSEAS.

AN INTERESTING EXHIBITION.

"The very name of the Colonial and Continental Church Society is a challenge to us," the Archbishop of Dublin said, when presiding at the opening of the Overseas Exhibition in the Metropolitan Hall, Dublin, yesterday. It reminds us, he went on, of how the Church follows the Empire, and how the Church seeks to go wherever our fellow-countrymen spread out over the world, either for trade or colonisation purposes. This has been the work of the Colonial and Continental Church Society for considerably over a hundred years, and the purpose of the Exhibition is to awaken interest in that work.

Lord Glenavy, in his opening speech, commented on the fact that the same names frequently occurred in subscription lists of missionary and charitable efforts. It was a tradition with some families to support certain charities. It was important for such societies to get new supporters as time decreased the lists of old friends. The Exhibition, as well as augmenting the funds, should interest and bring in new people. The two chief objects of the society were to provide chaplains in holiday resorts abroad and to help in the development of the Church in our Colonial Empire. The difficulty and magnitude of the latter part of the work could be realised when we considered that in Canada alone its operations extended over 3,700,000 square miles. It was not right to say that the Canadian Church should be able to support itself. In the absence of an endowment it would be impossible to expect these young settlers to build churches and to provide salaries without help from the home funds. Lord Glenavy then declared the Exhibition open.

A visit to the Exhibition should prove of great interest. Round the hall are illuminated courts with exhibits showing the life of settlers in the Colonies. There are Eskimo huts, model canoes and dog sleighs, and a Kenya Colony court with products of the country. In the centre of the hall are models of a settler's shack and of a Kenya Colony church, built of wattles, and a prairie post office. Lectures will be given daily in the various courts, and also musical recitals and costume sketches.

TO-DAY'S NEW ISSUES.

ULSTER LOANS 4½ p.c. STOCK.

The prospectus is published to-day of Ulster Loans 4½ p.c. Stock (1945-1975) to the amount of £2,000,000, of which £1,000,000 will be allotted to various funds administered by Departments of the Government of Northern Ireland. The issue price is £93 per cent., and the return, without taking into account redemption rights, is just over £4 16s. 6d. per cent. The stock is a Trustee security. It is redeemable at par on June 1, 1975, at latest, but the option is reserved of commencing redemption on or after June 1, 1945, on three months' notice. Interest is payable on June 1 and December 1. The stock is secured on the Government Loan Fund, and if that is insufficient, on the Consolidated Fund of Northern Ireland to the extent of such deficiency. The annual revenue of Northern Ireland amounts to £10,500,000, of which 80 per cent. is levied and collected under the direct control of the Government of Northern Ireland, and in every year since the Government of Northern Ireland was set up there has been a surplus on the Exchequer account, and £18,000,000 has been contributed to Imperial Services. The proceeds of the loan will be applied (1) to works of public utility secured on local rates; (2) to compensation for abolition of liquor licences, secured by a statutory levy on holders of remaining licences; (3) to grants for housing, barracks for the Royal Ulster Constabulary, and for any expenditure of a capital nature outlined by the Northern Ireland Parliament. Applications for the stock, which is a Gilt-edged security, will be received by the Midland Bank and by the Belfast Banking Company and branches, and must be for £50 or multiples thereof. Applicants may use the form attached to the prospectus, and it should be noted that the list will close on or before Thursday next, November 5 (see page 4).

BRITISH RUBBER AND GENERAL TRUST.

This new company has been formed with a capital of £500,000 in £1 shares, of which 300,000 are now offered for subscription at par. The company will carry on a financial and investment business, mainly in connection with rubber, tea, and other tropical products, and with companies or owners engaged in the cultivation of same. Subject only to the payment of the preliminary expenses, the whole of the proceeds of this issue will be available for the company's purposes. The preliminary expenses are estimated at £12,500, in addition to the brokerage and underwriting commission. An underwriting contract has been made between the company and British and Allied Investments Corporation, whereby the subscription of the whole of this issue is guaranteed in consideration of an underwriting commission of 3½ per cent., and an overriding commission of 1½ per cent. The directorate, which is representative of rubber and tea interests, includes Mr. Patrick Good, Chairman of the Equatorial Rubber Trust and Director of Merlimau Rubber Estates. Particular attention will be given to business connected with good producing estates in Ceylon, Malaya and other recognised rubber and tea producing countries. Lloyds Bank and the National Provincial Bank will receive applications, which may be made on the form attached to the prospectus on page 4, and the list will close on or before Thursday next, November 5.

UNITED DAIRIES, LTD.

The growth of the United Dairies Company has been very rapid. It is just over ten years since it was formed with a capital of £1,000,000, and at present it is £4,464,739, almost equally divided between 6 p.c. Non-Cum. Pref. Shares and Ordinary Shares of £1 each. The company is now offering £500,000 new 6 p.c. Non-Cum. Preference Shares of £1 each, the new money being required for the erection and equipment of depôts for bottling milk, to repay debentures of a subsidiary, and for the general purposes of the company. The net profits for seven years are given in the prospectus, and show continuous growth from £233,400 to £509,145, while the dividend on the Ordinary Shares has been raised from 10 to 14 per cent. The reserve fund now totals £500,000. As the Preference dividend will absorb only £30,000, no great inroad will be made on the sum available for dividend. The new issue has been underwritten at a commission of 2 p.c. and an over-riding commission of ½ p.c., and the directors have sub-underwritten 150,000 shares. The new issue is a fairly high-yielding security in a progressive industrial company. The list will close on or before Tuesday next, and applicants may use the form attached to the prospectus on page 4.

CENTRAL CRIMINAL COURT.

£3,460 ARMY FRAUD CHARGE.

ALLEGED FICTITIOUS CLAIMANTS' CASE.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE O'SHAUGHNESSY.)

The trial was begun of Hugh Callan, M. F. Conway and Robert B. Harold, who are charged with the fraudulent conversion of £3,466 10s. while employed in the Army Finance Department, in County Cork. There were 26 counts in the indictment, to all of which the prisoners pleaded not guilty.

Mr. Carrigan, K.C.; Mr. Dudley White, K.C.; and Mr. Eugene Sheehy (instructed by Mr. Boyd, State Solicitor) prosecuted. Mr. W. J. Reardon and Mr. J. A. McCarthy (instructed by Mr. W. F. O'Connor) appeared for Harold and Conway; and Mr. A. Lynn (instructed by Mr. P. Campbell) for Callan.

ARMY DEBTS.

Outlining the case, Mr. Carrigan expressed belief that the jurors, when they had heard the facts of the case, would have no doubt that the prisoners had swindled the country out of thousands of pounds. Callan, he said, was a civil servant, and had been employed in the Army Finance Office in Dublin at the time when the Army had quelled the opposition in Cork, although tranquillity had not been quite restored. People were then complaining that debts incurred by the Army had not been paid, and a special effort was made to investigate and settle claims for the billeting of troops, goods supplied, etc.

Early in 1923 Callan was sent down to Cork as a civil servant having a special knowledge of Army accounts. On its being found that there was a great deal of laxity in dealing with accounts, the county was divided into three districts, and Callan took charge of the division, comprising Bandon, Glengariffe, Castletownbere, etc. He had two assistants (the other two prisoners), who held the rank of sergeant. He had no title himself.

In order to expedite the settlement of claims, large sums of money were placed at Callan's disposal by the Minister for Defence and the Minister for Finance. In July and August, 1923, Callan cashed cheques for £16,700; and, with his two satellites, he went round "handing out fistfuls of money for Army services." It would be proved that they adopted a system of robbing the country, although, on paper, the money had been satisfactorily accounted for.

"GHOSTS" BROUGHT INTO CASE.

Twenty vouchers would be produced, representing a sum of £3,468 10s. They were taken at random from a file of thirty-five, and would be proved to be forgeries. It would also be proved that people named in these documents never existed. For instance, "Harry Swanton, Schull," was the name on one of the vouchers, but there was no such person in the town. Another claimant, "who lived in the shades," was "Henry Mulhally, Castletownbere."

Against Callan, alone, there were a few living witnesses; and it would be sworn that on the 14th April, 1923, he paid by cheque a sum of £50 to Mrs. J. Newman, Bantry; that the cheque was cashed by her at the bank, and that, in consequence of what he told her, she handed him the £50, which he had not since accounted for.

By means of the receipts, ghosts—dead men and women—had been brought into the case, and, when the jury had heard the facts, counsel contended that they would have no doubt as to the guilt of the prisoners.

IRREGULARITIES AND ARRESTS.

Captain G. Meighegan, of the Army Accounts Department, gave evidence of the sums of money sent to Cork in respect of payments to be made by the prisoner, Callan. He also identified the handwriting of the three prisoners in documents received by his department from time to time.

Answering Mr. Reardon, the witness said that he did not come forward as a handwriting expert. Before Callan went to Cork there were many irregularities in Army administration, and military officers and traders were arrested as a result of them. The arrests followed Callan's investigations. Having cleared up things in Cork City, he was detailed to deal with irregularities in outlying parts of West Cork.

Mr. Lynn—Can you give us the names of the officers who were arrested? No, I had nothing to do with the arrests.

To what period must we refer these irregularities in payments which caused the arrests? From the landing of the troops in Cork up to whatever time the arrests were made.

FRUITLESS QUESTS.

P. J. Kenny, an accountant in the Army Finance Department, related his experiences in Cork, when he went there to investigate accounts and vouchers received from that area. In Dunmanway he sought a man named John O'Neill, but could not trace him. According to the receipts he had been paid £311 10s. Richard Slattery, Bantry, for whom a receipt for £446 4s. had been made out, could not be found either. The in Bantry, Schull, Glengariffe, Castletownbere witness had numerous other fruitless quests here and Ballydehob. A number of receipts given by the prisoners were genuine, and the money in these cases was accounted for.

The further hearing of the case was adjourned till this morning.

DUBLIN THEATRES.

MISS JOSE COLLINS AT THE ROYAL.

The Theatre Royal was well filled last night, when Miss Jose Collins was given a rousing reception. The reputation which she gained in musical comedy lost none of its lustre, but, on the contrary, was enhanced by her artistic performance. She was ably assisted by Mr. Nat D. Ayer, the popular composer, whose songs and piano-playing made a strong appeal.

A very delightful entertainment was that which was given by the Dublin Premier Quartette—Miss May Doyle, Miss Florence Howley, Mr. Joseph O'Neill and Mr. William Lemass. The neat, chatty turn of the Houston Sisters—"The Iro-Scot Girls"—gave the audience cause for much laughter, and they were warmly applauded. Stanley and Birnes, who are described as the "Two White Lights of Broadway," are responsible for some original dancing, their style being entirely new to Dublin.

A very clever performer on different kinds of concertinas is the musician who chooses to be called Clevoner. The wizardry of Sylvestre, in producing umbrellas of different sizes and of all colours from what appeared to be an empty tube, puzzled, while it pleased, the onlookers. Renda Rudd, a comedienne, and the Avolos, who play what is claimed to be the largest xyophone in the world, gave a good account of themselves.

OLYMPIA THEATRE.

At the Olympia Theatre, Gar Kiddie's Company appears in a comedy burlesque, entitled "Bad Boys." There are eight scenes, well staged, representing the seaside, a barrack, a courthouse, a prison and a Monte Carlo hotel, among other places. Through all of these a bevy of charming chorus girls dance on the slightest provocation.

A great deal of "knock-about" fun is provided by Bert Groves as Sammy Snooks, and Bert Melville as "the bad man" Rudolph. Miss Elsye Cubbins as Millicent is pleasing. Other leading parts are taken by Bert Brerley, Di Williams, George Gilbert and Dolly Cruden. The acrobatic performance of the Badun Six is clever, and, like many other items on the programme, was heartily applauded last night.

WOLVERTON RAILWAY DISPUTE SETTLED.

WORK TO BE RESUMED TO-DAY.

The dispute at the London, Midland and Scottish Railway Company's carriage and wagon works, at Wolverton, has been settled, and work will be resumed to-day. Under the terms of settlement agreed to at a conference to-day, all the employés who ceased work are to be reinstated, and the company undertakes that, if the workpeople submit to the management particulars of their grounds of complaint in connection with the duties of the assistant foreman, to whom they have made objections, full inquiry will be held. Other complaints will be discussed by the management with the Shops Committee, and in the event of failure to obtain satisfaction, matters are to be referred by the headquarters of the trade unions to the general manager.

U.S. MARKETS.

MOTORS AGAIN LEAD ADVANCE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW YORK, Monday.

All the New York Exchanges will be closed to-morrow, "Election Day."

	Mon.	Sat.
Call Money	5b. 5¼a	Nominal.
Exchange on Lon. 60 days sight	4.80⅝	4.80¼
Do. do. Demand Bills	4.84⅛	4.84⅛
Cable Transfers	4.84⅝	4.84½
Do. Montreal	4.84⅛	4.83⅞
Exchange Paris, cable	4.17	4.21

Eng. Parity	Stocks.	Closing Bid Prices. Mon.	Business Done. Sat.
105⅜	U.S. Funded	102¼	102¼
125½	Atch., Top., Santa Fe	121⅝	121¾
98⅛	Do. Preference	98¼	93
87⅞	Baltimore and Ohio	85⅛	85¼
134	Canadian Pacific	149¾	149½
9⅝	Chic., Mil., and St. Paul	9⅛	8⅝
73⅛	Chicago and N.-West	70⅞	70⅛
37⅛	Erie Shares	36	35¾
43¼	Erie 1st Preferred	41⅜	42¼
122⅛	Illinois Central	119	118¾
140⅞	Louisville and Nashville	136½	132⅛
41¼	Missouri, Kan., and Texas	40	40
36⅝	Missouri Pacific New	35	35
129⅞	N.Y. Ctl. and Hudson R.	125⅞	123⅛
144⅛	Norfolk and West Com.	140	140
73⅜	Northern Pacific Com.	71	71⅞
51⅛	Pennsylvania Shares	50†	50⅛
88	Reading Shares	85¼	85¼
42⅛	Do. Preferred	40¼	39¼
117¼	Southern Railway	114⅝	114⅛
101⅜	Southern Pacific	98⅝	97¾
146⅛	Union Pacific	142	142
77⅛	Do. Pref.	75⅛	75⅛
121¼	American Smelt. and Refining	118	117¼
50⅛	Anaconda Copper	49⅛	49⅛
27¼	British-American Tobacco Ord.	26⅞	26⅛
97¼	New York Consolidated Gas	94¼	93¾
326⅛	General Electric	316¾	311
172⅛	National Lead	167	167
133⅛	United States Steel Common	129	128
128⅛	Do. Pref.	124½†	126
49¼	Bethlehem Steel Com. Stock	47¾	47
142⅛	General Motors (New)	138½	138½
9⅛	Inter. Mer. Marine Com. Certs.	9⅛	9
38⅛	Do. Pref. Certs.	37¼	36¼
43⅜	Shell Ordinary	42⅛	42⅛
76	Pan-American Petroleum Ord.	73⅛	72
24	Anglo-American Oil	23¾	23⅛
25⅛	Shell Union Oil Corp.	24⅛	23¾
83⅞	U.S. Rubber	81¼	78⅛
267¾	American Can	259⅛	253¼
28⅛	International Pet. of Canada	27⅛	27⅞
—	Silver Commercial Bars	69¾	70¼
	BONDS.		
91⅛	Atch. Top. New 4% Gen. Mort.	88¼	88⅛
67⅞	Erie Rail. Gen. 4% Lien Bonds	65¼	65½
94⅛	Union Pacific 4% Bonds	91⅛	91
108½	U.S. Steel 2nd Mort. 5% Bonds	105⅛	105¼
—	U.K. 5½ per cent. Bonds, 1929	—	118⅛
108¾	Do. Do 1937	105	105⅛
104⅛	7 p.c. German Loan	101⅛	101⅛

* Asked. † Ex div. ‡ Ex interest. § Ex rights.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKETS.

WHEAT firm, 1c. to 3½c. higher.

	To-day.	Prev. day
No. 2 Hard Winter, spot	174⅞	171⅞
No. 2 Red Winter, spot	172⅛	169¼
No. 2 Mixed Durum, spot	135⅛	134⅛
No. 1 Northern Manitoba, spot	150⅛	146⅞

Sales for export—65 boatloads.

RYE steady, ½c. up. No. 2 spot, 87. Sales for export—Nil.

BARLEY easy, 2c. cheaper. American malting, 70.

MAIZE firm, 1⅛c. dearer:

	To-day.	Prev. day.
Western No. 2 mixed spot	96⅛	95¼

Sales for export—Nil.

LARD easy, 25 points lower. Prime Western steam, 16.05; Middle West, 15.80 to 15.90.

FLOUR steady. Spring clears, 100 per cent.—7.50 to 7.75.

FREIGHTS.

Heavy grain to Great Britain, per qr.—2/9-3/-.
Heavy grain to Continent, per 100lbs.—12c.-15c.
Cotton, high density, to Great Britain, per 100lbs.—30c.
Cotton, standard bales, to Great Britain, per 100lbs.—45c.

PETROLEUM steady.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
Standard White in cases	16.90	16.90
Standard White in barrels	13.50	13.50
Do. Philadelphia	13.50	13.50
Mid-Continent Crude	33-33.9	33-33.9
Pennsylvania Crude	2.70-3.15	2.70-3.15

RUBBER dull, but steady. First latex crepe, 99 buyers; smoked ribbed sheets, 98½ buyers, 100 sellers.

BURLAPS quiet. Hessian cloth—Light-weight, 9.90; heavy-weight, 12.75.

SUGAR steady, 7 to 6 points higher. Centrifugal Cuban spot firm, 7 points dearer; 96 test centrifugal Cuban, 3.90. Approximate day's sales, 51,000 tons.

Options—	Dec.	Jan.	Mar.	May	July	Sept.
To-day	2.21	2.27	2.38	2.49	2.59	2.69
Prev. day	2.14	2.21	2.32	2.43	2.53	2.63

Sugar sales (Cuban)—21,000 bags at 3.96 for shipment last half of this month, and 20,000 bags at 3.96 for January shipment.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Monday.

WHEAT opened firm, 1c. to ⅝c. higher, on unfavourable Australian crop reports, firmer Liverpool cables and buying by elevator interests. Further advances were scored owing to predictions of adverse weather in the Canadian North-West, unfavourable Argentine advices, active short covering, a demand from millers, large seaboard clearances and bullish visible supply figures. Realising caused partial recessions, but the market closed steady at 3c. to 2c. gain. Spot steady.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
No. 2 Hard Winter spot	158	—
No. 3 Hard Winter spot	—	—

Futures—Opening options—	Dec.	May.
To-day	147⅛	143⅛
Prev. day	148⅜	144¼

Futures—Closing options—	Dec.	May	July
To-day	149⅛	144¼	128
Prev. day	146⅛	142¼	125¾

	To-day.	Same day last year	This season	Last season
Receipts (W.)	1,793	3,683	183,038	307,073

(In thousands of bushels.)

MAIZE opened steady, ⅛c. to ⅜c. dearer, and finished steady, 1⅛c. to ½c. up.

Mr. Statistician Snow estimates that the corn yield will amount to 3,039,000,000 bushels.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
Spot No. 2 mixed	81¼	82¼

Futures—Opening options—	Dec.	May.
To-day	73⅜	77⅞
Prev. day	75¼	79⅛

Futures—Closing options—	Dec.	May.	July.
To-day	74⅛	78⅛	79½
Prev. day	73¼	77⅛	78⅛

	To-day.	Same day last year.	This season.	Last season.
Receipts (W.)	582	565	53,846	80,128

(In thousands of bushels.)

OATS steady, ⅛c. up.

Futures—Closing options—	Dec.	May.	July
To-day	38⅛	43⅛	—
Prev. day	38¼	43	43⅜

RYE—Futures barely steady, ⅛c. to ½c. up. No. 2 spot unquoted.

Futures—Closing options—	Dec.	May	July
To-day	80¼	86	—
Prev. day	79⅞	85½	—

PROVISIONS at the opening were easy. Lard declined owing to the lower hog market, heavy receipts and light liquidation, but a recovery took place later in sympathy with grain, and shorts showed more disposition to cover. There was a moderate commission house demand, and the market closed steady, with lard 7½ points higher. Ribs are 5 points lower. Lard—Spot, 15.25.

Lard—Closing options	Jan.	Mar.	May
To-day	13.65	13.70	13.72½
Prev. day	—	—	—

Ribs—Closing options—	Jan.	Mar.	May
To-day	14.20	—	—
Prev. day	—	—	—

BACON easy at 30 points fall. Short ribbed sides (60lbs. average)—17.00.

HOGS easy and 15 points down. Light hogs, 10.70 to 11.35; heavy hogs, 10.75 to 11.35.

	To-day.	Same day last year
Receipts—Western Cities	145,000	116,000
" Chicago	46,000	46,000

Receipts of hogs at fifteen principal Western centres, including Chicago, since the 1st November (new season) total 145,000, against 151,000 same season last year.

Reporting to the L.C.C. on the electrocution of a fireman, the Fire Brigade Committee state that there are no means of preventing such accidents. The risk of electrocution, although small, is inseparable from a fireman's duties.

BROADCASTING

TO-DAY.

LONDON (2LO)—365 Metres.

1.0-2.0—Time Signal. Music. 4.0—Time Signal. "Grandparents," by Lady Cynthia Asquith. 4.15—Organ and Orchestra. 5.15—Children. 6.0—A. M. Henderson and Wilfred Senior (duets for two pianos). 6.30—Talk. 6.45—Music. 7.0—Time Signal from Big Ben, Weather Forecast and News. Mr. James Agate: Dramatic Criticism. 7.25—Music. 7.30—"Coffee and Cupid" (Bach), performed by the British National Opera Company. 8.0—"From my Window," by Philemon. 8.5—More Musical Comedy Memories. Cast: Winifred Davis, Beryl Riggs, George Pizzey, Phyllis Panting, James Whigham and Raymond Trafford. 10.0—Time Signal from Greenwich, Weather Forecast and News. Rosita Forbes: "From Red Sea to Blue Nile." 10.30—Dance Bands. 12.0—Close down.

DAVENTRY (5XX)—1,600 Metres.

10.30—Time Signal from Big Ben and Weather Forecast. 11.0-1.0—The Radio Quartet and George Pizzey (baritone), Nellie Keighley (soprano), Rowena Franklyn (violin). 1.0-7.30—S.B. from London. 7.30—"Coffee and Cupid." 8.5-10.0—From Liverpool. 10.0-12.0—From London.

BIRMINGHAM (5IT)—479 Metres.

4.15—Orchestra. 4.45—Miss M. Danielsen, "Conferences—Their Value or Otherwise," followed by a short debate. 5.15—Children. 6.0—Orchestra. Gladys Ward: Dramatised Stories, No. 3, "The Queen of Spades." 6.45—From London. 7.0-12.0—From London.

BOURNEMOUTH (6BM)—386 Metres.

11.30-12.0—Orchestra. 3.10—"English Literature of the 18th Century" (6), by Mr. E. Graham, M.A. 3.45—"The Art of Fencing," by Mr. W. F. Mugford, M.B.A.P.T. The Wireless Orchestra. Kathleen Dance (contralto). 5.15—Children. 6.0—Music. 6.30—Vice-Admiral W. H. D'Oyly: "Reflections of a Cruiser's Work during the War" (1). 6.45—From London. 7.30-12.0—From London.

CARDIFF (5WA)—353 Metres.

11.30-12.30—The Pump Room (Bath) Quartet. 3.0—Gramophone Records. 3.45—The Station Trio. 4.15—Tea-time Music. 5.0—"Five o'clocks." 5.30—Children. 6.15—"Teens' Corner. 6.30—Talk. 6.45-12.0—From London.

MANCHESTER (2ZY)—378 Metres.

1.15-2.0—Music. 3.45—Auto-piano Recital by J. Meadows. 4.0—Mrs. Lilian Furness: "The House of Parliament." 4.15—Tea-time Concert. 5.15—Children. 6.0—The Majestic Celebrity Orchestra. 7.0—From London. 7.40—Round the Table: Discussion between Prof. T. H. Pear, M.A., B.Sc., and Dr. Stanley H. Jackson, M.A., on "What is Intelligence?" 8.5-12.0—From London.

NEWCASTLE (5NO)—404 Metres.

11.30-12.30—Frederick Walker (boy soprano), Freda Johnstone (contralto): Gramophone Records. 4.0—Fashions Talk. 4.15—Music. 5.15—Children. 6.0—The Station Orchestra. 6.40—Radio Society Talk. 7.0—From London. Prof. W. L. Renwick, M.A., B.Litt.: "English History in the English Language" (1). 7.25-12.0—From London.

LIVERPOOL (6LV)—315 Metres.

4.0—Topics. 4.15—The Station Pianoforte Quartet. Doris Priestley and Harry Charlton in comedy duets. 5.15—Children. 6.0—Gaillard and Orchestra. 7.0—From London. 8.5—"A Maker of Dreams," a fantasy in one act. 8.30—Liverpool Philharmonic Society Concert. 8.45—Studio Song Recital by Klinton Shepherd (baritone). 9.0—Concert (continued). 10.0-12.0—From London.

GLASGOW (5SC)—422 Metres.

3.30—Mr. Percy Gordon, Mus.Bac.: "Music." 3.40—Music. 3.50—Talk. 4.0—Dance Music by the Plaza Band. 5.0—Topics. 5.15—Children. 6.0-6.2—Weather Forecast for Farmers. 6.30—Mr. W. Percival Westell, F.L.S.: "Nature as a Co-operative Society" (from Dundee). 6.45-12.0—From London.

BELFAST (2BE)—439 Metres.

11.30-12.30—Gramophone Records. 4.0—Tyrone Power (poetry recital). The Station Orchestra. William Duncan (bass); Edmund Harris and Arthur Webster (clarinet duet). 5.30-6.15—Children. 7.0-12.0—From London.

GAELIC PLAYS AT THE ABBEY THEATRE.

A SHAVIAN SATIRE BY A NEW PLAYWRIGHT.

Last night's performance by the Gaelic Players at the Abbey Theatre, Dublin, was chiefly interesting in the first production of a play by Seán O Ciarghusa, a writer who is well known under the pen-name of "Marbhán" as a pungent and witty critic of current affairs. It was called "The Exiles from Old England," and gave in one act an imaginary scene of the year 2025 A.D.

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"Marbhán" imagines that Ireland has become wholly Irish-speaking, even his Orangeman having no English. A group has assembled to form "the English League," which seeks to restore the English language in Ireland. One character, a Miss Birrell, knows English, and translates the names of the characters into that tongue, telling the Irish Jew, Deaglan Gabhnóir, that his name is Goldsmith. Some living folk of to-day seemed to be hit off in some of the characters, but the fun was good-humoured.

Nothing happens. It is a Shavian play, with the enjoyment wholly in the wit of the dialogue around the table; and in this respect it makes a large advance on the crude drama given us hitherto by many Gaelic playwrights. There was many a laugh, as when English was praised as the language of Shakespeare, Milton, and Shaw. A Belfast Professor wrote to complain that he had only three English students. Dr. Douglas Hyde was adapted to justify the cause by turning his Irish propagandist *dicta* against himself. Plantagenet Gogarty, an Irish poet of past times, was invoked as an exponent of the beauties of English. Finally, the meeting was broken up as seditious by green-badged police, and the English Hall, with its portraits of Queen Bess, Gladstone and King William, was dismantled. The satire pricked the Gaels of to-day, no less than others.

A large company played in the piece, and it would be unfair, perhaps, to single out any for special praise; for, apart from some defects natural to players without long experience in a piece lacking action, the whole thing was admirably done.

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The second play was Mr. Piaras Beasley's "Game of Cards"—a comedy that never loses savour. Tadhg O Scanaill was indispensable, and he played his cards, as we said of a performance last year, with as much humour as Lord Burghley shook his head in "The Critic." Mr. Brophy was delightful as the shy youth. The women were greatly improved. Máire Ní Chinnéide gave her usual warm glow to the acting. Miss Bastable proved herself a great addition to the company, and Máire Ní Oisín was in one of those roguish parts that she plays with so much spirit and merriment.

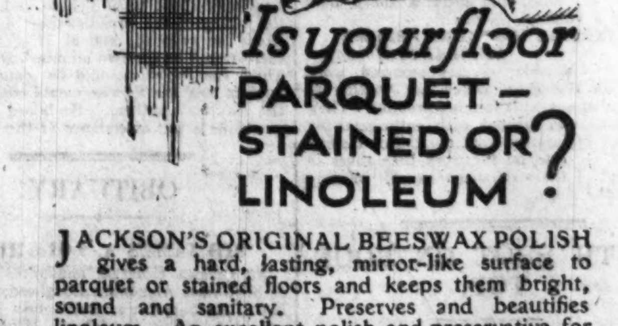
LAME ANIMALS.

DUBLIN CRUELTY CASES.

Several cases of cruelty to animals came before Mr. Cussen, District Justice, in the Dublin District Court yesterday.

Edward Kehoe (owner), 89 Rathmines road, and James Tierner (drover) were each fined 8s. and 2s. costs for compelling a lame sheep to walk, and Patrick Bryan, Crookseling, Saggart, was fined 6d. and 12s. costs for working a horse which was lame, the ringbone causing pain. On a summons for working a lame jennet fines of 10s. were imposed on Francis Noone, 30 Thomas street (owner), and the driver, who had to pay 2s. costs.

Two men, working in a field in Spalding district yesterday, were struck by lightning, one being killed and the other seriously injured.



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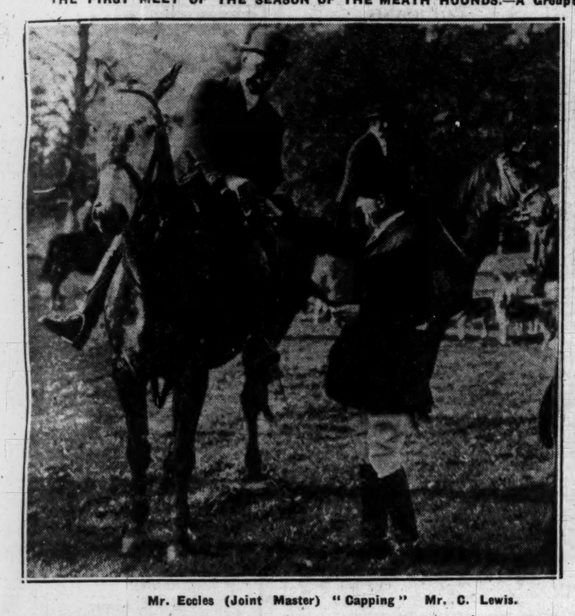
FIRST MEET OF THE MEATH: DAIL REASSEMBLES TO-DAY.

THE FIRST MEET OF THE SEASON OF THE MEATH HOUNDS.—A Grouptaken at Dunderry Park, Navan, yester day.

Major V. H. Parr (Joint Master), with his godchild, Miss Clarke, and Mrs. Clarke.



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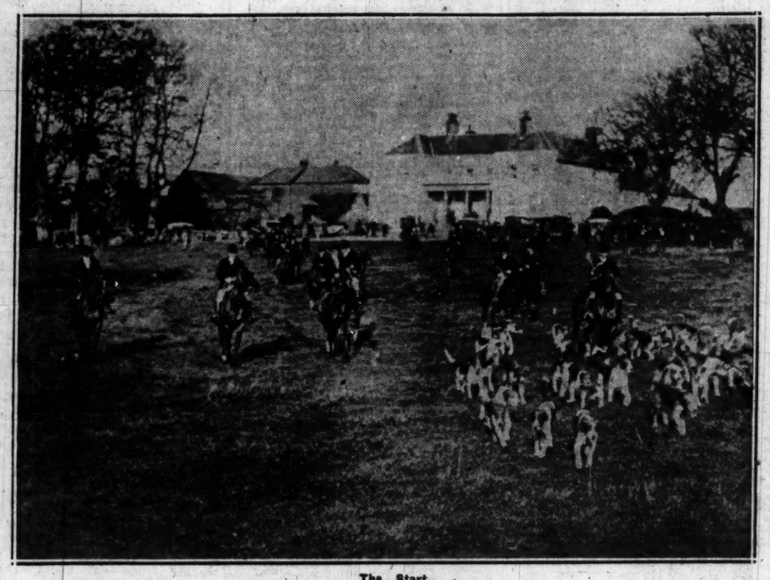
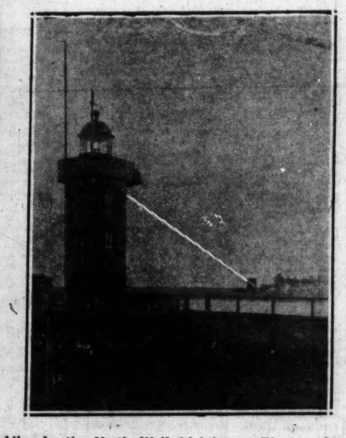


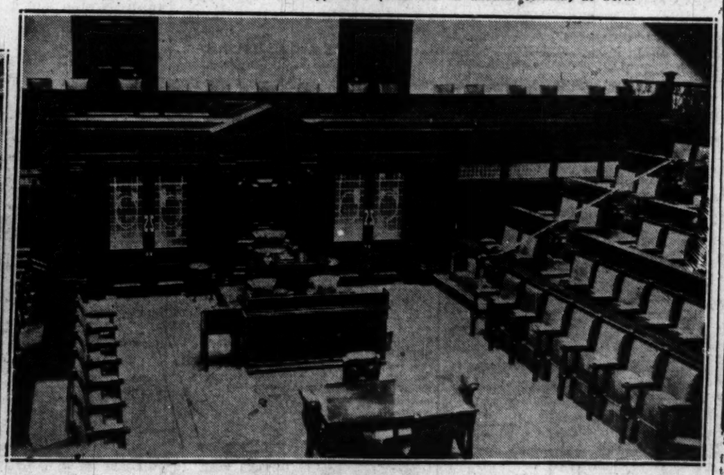
The Start.

CALLED TO THE BAR.—The new Barristers in the above group, with the exception of Mr. Joyce, intend to practise in Northern Ireland.
Front row: P. S. Joyce, J. J. Houston, F. W. Lewis, M.C.; P. A. Marrinan, C.B.E.; J. J. Cooper, B.A.; Captain J. H. Dougan, W. Boles, B.A.
Back row: B. Lamb, J. F. Caldwell, W. J. Maguire, J. D. Condy.



Mr. J. Mallagh, Chief Engineer of the Port of Dublin, in the North Wall Lighthouse. The second picture shows the apparatus (described in another column) at work.

OPENING MEET OF THE UNITED HUNT.
General Sullivan and Mr. F. Hallinan (the new Secretary). Miss Musgrave and Mrs. Hallinan.



Since the Dail rose the Chamber has been altered considerably. The picture shows the Speaker's Chair and the Front Benches.

VICAR FOUND DEAD IN BED.

Canon Vincent John Ryan, Vicar of Mansfield, near Darlington, was found dead in bed yesterday morning, aged 76. He had been in ill-health for the past few days, and it is presumed that he had had a heart attack.

Outside Aberystwyth last night a fourteen-seater char-à-banc plunged down a steep field adjoining the main road and, after turning over several times, came to rest fifty yards below in a smashed condition. The driver lies in the infirmary in a serious condition. The sole passenger sustained a broken arm and other injuries.

SIR JAMES CRAIG LEAVES FOR LONDON.

CONFERENCE AT THE OFFICE OF WORKS.

Sir James Craig and the Minister for Finance (Mr. H. M. Pollock), of Northern Ireland, left Belfast for London last night to attend a conference with representatives of the Treasury and the Office of Works, with a view to expediting work on the Parliament House, Government Buildings, and the Law Courts at Belfast, in order that a large amount of work may be provided for the unemployed during the winter.

COLLEGE GAELIC SOCIETY.

Trinity Gaelic Society will hold its inaugural meeting for the session in the Regent House, Trinity College, Dublin, at 3.30 to-day. The auditor, Mr. R. J. Cussen, will deliver his address on "Co-operation in Ireland," the speakers being Messrs. T. P. Gill and M. F. O'Hanlon. The Society, which is five years in existence, bans secretarian and political topics, and devotes itself to the furtherance of things Irish—language, culture, art, music, and social matters. The new office-bearers are:—Auditor, R. J. Cussen; record sec., J. Coghlan; treasurer, W. Bourke; librarian, N. Reid; committee, Miss Dourin, Miss MacCartan, F. Boland, B. Levers, and O. Willis.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

THE SPIRIT DUTY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—At the annual meeting of the Castlebellingham and Drogheda Breweries, held in Dublin on the 30th October, the chairman is reported to have said: "In beer the product of each barrel of barley bears a tax of £10, and there is a very similar state of things in the case of spirits." It might be of interest to all concerned to know what this similar state of things really is in regard to spirits.

After making allowances for the loss of moisture in drying barley, used in its raw state, and of spirit, which takes place during the seven years at least that it is maturing in warehouse, the product of each barrel of barley purchased by the distiller bears a tax of £35. Is it any wonder that whiskey is dear and many of the distilleries are not working?—Yours, etc.,

G. LIONEL JAMESON,
Honorary Secretary, Irish Pot-Still Distillers' Association.

Dublin, November 2nd, 1925.

THE TUSKAR LIGHTHOUSE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—Alderman Corish some time ago asked a question in the Dail about cable communication with Tuskar Lighthouse. The responsible Minister, replying, stated "that weather conditions prevented the cable from being repaired, and that he was corresponding with the Board of Trade relative to establishing wireless communication there." We have had four months of magnificent weather and the cable is not yet repaired, nor is wireless communication established.

How long does it take to consider the laying of five miles of cable? Certainly the undertaking is expensive, but the object—the saving of human lives—is worth far more. Yet the work is left undone. Last Easter two schooners miraculously escaped from being washed ashore there: the danger was so great that one of them was temporarily abandoned. The weather was gloriously fine or else a tragedy was certain. Should anything have happened then, telegraph communication would have been established ere now; but why wait for tragedy? Why should we not try to avert it?

I trust that Alderman Corish will again interest himself in this matter, as well as the local energetic secretary of the Lifeboat Institution, General Doran. The importance of this matter is my excuse for trespassing on your valuable space.—Yours, etc.,

"INTERESTED."

Co. Wexford, November 1st, 1925.

THE CREW OF THE "HAMBURG."

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—In asking permission to correct your representative's "tale of a coat," I interpret completely differently the fact that the owner of the coat "burst into tears," and for a long time was inconsolable, although the Port Missionary patted him on the back and bade him to be of good cheer." The German sailor in question is one of a crew of forty-six men, each of whom, in matters pertaining to discipline, seamanship and demeanour, is most praiseworthy. It was very remarkable to observe the gratitude shown by these men to the helpers in the three Dublin institutes for seamen—the Missions to Seamen, the Sailors' Rest and the Catholic Seamen's Institute—for their efforts to render aid to these shipwrecked men. All three societies have given willing aid, and it is merely accidental that to the Missions to Seamen, with its magnificent equipment, the principal portion of the catering and sleeping arrangements for the shipwrecked crew was entrusted.

When informed by me that every article lost would be made immediately good, by the help of the Shipwrecked Mariners' Society, for which I am honorary agent, the owner of the coat "burst into tears," realising that he and his companions were surrounded by friends. He stated that so much had been done for them all that he really could not expect further kindnesses, and only accepted when I assured him that the attitude of all seamen's societies is to discharge a land man's debt of honour rather than to proffer charity. I think it fair to draw your attention to the beautiful words spoken to the men by the Rev. Dr. McKenzie (Sailors' Rest) at the Thanksgiving Service in the R.M.S. Leinster Memorial Church, at which the whole crew was present, to supplement my short address. Perhaps, the apparent incongruity of this environment will emphasise the new spirit, so universal among seamen, of "forgive and forget."—Yours, etc.,

C. B. FILIPPS, Chaplain.

Dublin Seamen's Institute, Missions to Seamen, Dublin, November 2nd, 1925.

FAMILY INJURED IN MOTOR ACCIDENT.

Mrs. H. J. Rooke, of Morwenstowe, Haven road, Canford Cliffs, Bournemouth, died in hospital yesterday afternoon as the result of a motor accident, and Miss Hilda Rooke, her daughter, is in a grave condition. With Mr. Rooke and another lady, they were driving towards Bournemouth on their way to Cowes for a holiday, when, owing to a skid or a burst tyre, the car overturned while rounding a corner at the bottom of the hill in Western road. Mrs. Rooke and her daughter were pinned under the car. The others were thrown clear, but Mr. Rooke was injured.

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GOSSIP FROM THE COURSE

STORM SWEPT.

NARROW VICTORY OF BULGER.

SCHERZO MEETS DEFEAT.

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.

BIRMINGHAM, Monday Night.

An unpleasing storm swept over the course here this afternoon, and rather spoiled the harmony of what was otherwise an excellent day's racing. Fields in many of the events were very large, indeed, a circumstance that is likely to be recurrent right up to the end of the season. The biggest of the day was that for the Juvenile Maiden Plate, which was won by Mrs. Carthew's colt Bulger, who had made an excellent impression by the style in which he had won on his first appearance at Sandown a week or two ago.

He started favourite this afternoon, but there was very little to choose between him and the Spearm filly, whom he had only beaten a head at Sandown and who was meeting him here on 7lb. better terms. There was a good deal to choose in the running, for the Spearm filly put up an indifferent show, while Bulger won. He had no easy task, however; for after Smirke had taken him to the front soon after they settled down he was challenged inside the distance by Harry Beasley on the Mollification filly. She headed him, and appeared to be getting just a little the better of him when she suddenly weakened very close to the post, and Bulger came again to beat her by a head.

It was, all the same, a good performance on the part of Bulger, a colt by Bridge of Earn—Black Gem, bred in County Limerick by Mr. D. R. Browning, and bought by Stanley Wootton at Doncaster last year on behalf of Mrs. Carthew for 2,600 guineas.

Wootton and his jockey, Smirke, had another success during the afternoon, for they won the opening selling plate with Preslane. He was not so confidently backed as Wootton's fancied 'platers usually are, and he started at 6 to 1, Mr. Lowry's Bachelor's Heir being one of those preferred to him in the market; but he won very easily by a couple of lengths from the two-year-old, Saucy Iris. As Wootton showed no desire to keep the five-year-old son of Battle-Axe and Clio after the race, Mr. J. Allen was able to buy him for 100 guineas.

Scherzo was sent late this morning to run for the Packington Plate, for which he started favourite from Phalaros. In a good race he was beaten a length by Mrs. George Drummond's filly, Dalnamein. St. Gironette had made the running until they were a quarter of a mile from home, when Dalnamein took it up. The filly, who was ridden by Richards, was then able to resist the challenge of Scherzo and beat him. It is possible that Scherzo may not be quite so good as he was in the spring, when he probably would have been easily able to give 16lb. to Dalnamein.

An Improved Plater.

It would seem as if Mont Aiguille is one of the most improved platers in training; for he beat a good field in the Coventry Nursery, which he won cleverly by three-parts of a length from the Ardock gelding, the favourite, Hoppy, failing to make much of a show. This made the fourth successive victory for Mont Aiguille, and it is interesting to note that after he had won a selling race at the Western Meeting at Ayr, he was bought in for 160 guineas, and it cost five guineas less to buy him back after he had won a little later at Leicester.

The Irish filly, Devachon, is not likely to be started for the Burton Nursery here to-morrow, being in reserve for the big nursery at Liverpool, but BELLA MINNA is to run. She has to give a good deal of weight away to smart two-year-olds, like Herbalist, Quick Stick and Happy Elf, but I imagine she is good enough to do it. I fully expect to see her win. The Sutton Handicap is an open race, in which Perfectus, Shippon, and Broken Faith, among others, will take part. I think BROKEN FAITH, who ran well in the Nottingham Handicap behind Shining Spear and Duvet, has a good each way chance. The best in the Harborne Three-Year-Old may be CRAGFORD.

GALTEE MORE.

SPECIAL SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

Daily Express:—Double—Pass the Mint and Cragford. Safety bet—Cragford.

Westminster Gazette:—To-day's best—Cragford. Double—Cragford and Bella Minna.

Daily Mirror:—Double—Bella Minna and Chinkapin.

Daily Graphic:—Double—Pass the Mint and Perfectus.

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JOCKEYS' ENGAGEMENTS AT BIRMINGHAM TO-DAY.

1.30—Palomides (Beasley), Aerostar (Elliott), Clymping (Wragg), Pass the Mint (Richards), Roman Fiddle (J. Taylor). 2.0—Mountain Gift (Donoghue), Sweet Sultana (Lane). 2.30—Quick Stick (Smirke), Happy Elf (Richards), Burnside (Sirett), Big Ben (Lane), Bella Minna (Bullock), Rosina colt (D. Morris). 3.0—Perfectus (Childs), Glen Andred (Richards). 3.30—Cragford (Richards), Make and Break (Lane), Poor Scats (R. Jones), Papillon (D. Morris). 4.0—Alfred the Great (Winter).

CURRAGH TRAINING NOTES.

THE CURRAGH, Monday.

A fine morning; but little noteworthy work was done.

PARKINSON'S Battleshaft cantered six furlongs.

DOYLE'S Wisket, Sunnyray, May Orb, She Will, and Tipperary Boy went six furlongs at a steady pace; others of the string had healthy exercise.

DAWSON'S Maynooth galloped a mile, and the others were usefully employed over five furlongs.

COOMBS' Grave Fairy, Roitoi, Carlovia, Cosmonetta, Deflation, Overland and Belsay Belle cantered six furlongs.

PERRY'S Knocklong Boy, Silvertown, Missed the Train, Bees and Honey and Benella were usefully employed.

FORDRED'S St. Donagh, Sed, Minervus, Longtown Crier, Lotus Lily and Airlie traversed six furlongs.

HARTIGAN'S Nantenan, South Pole, Southern Witch, Fedamore, Athbeg and others had healthy exercise.

ROGERS' The Guidon, Vesington Star, and the two year olds cantered five furlongs.

STAUNTON'S Louvix, Little Vera, Lord Wembley, Tear Coat, Noble Princess, Happy Princess and Newtown Park had healthy exercise.

NAAS RACES, 1926.

The following Races CLOSE (First Entry) on TO-MORROW (WEDNESDAY), NOVEMBER 4th, with Mr. F. Harold Clarke, 9 Hume street, Dublin:—

SATURDAY, MARCH 6th, 1926.

THE NAAS MAIDEN STEEPLECHASE of 200 sovs. Entrance 1 sov. Two miles and about 60 yards.

THE KILDARE MAIDEN HURDLE of 200 sovs. Entrance 1 sov. One mile and a half.

SATURDAY, MARCH 27th, 1926.

THE NEWBRIDGE MAIDEN STEEPLECHASE of 200 sovs. Entrance 1 sov. Two miles and about 60 yards.

THE KILCULLEN MAIDEN HURDLE of 200 sovs. Entrance 1 sov. One mile and a half.

For conditions see Irish *Racing Calendar.* —(Advt.)

WARD UNION HUNT STEEPLECHASES,

OVER THE FAIRYHOUSE COURSE.
EASTER MONDAY, APRIL 5th, 1926.

The following Race CLOSES (First Entry) on TO-MORROW (WEDNESDAY), 4th NOVEMBER, 1925, with Mr. F. Harold Clarke, 9 Hume street, Dublin:—

THE MAIDEN PLATE of 300 sovs., of which the second will receive 60 sovs., third 30 sovs., and fourth 10 sovs. For maidens under I.N.H.S. Rules and N.H. Rules on November 4th, 1925. Entrance 1 sov. Two miles and a quarter.

Clerk of the Course—Mr. George F. Gradwell, Drogheda.—(Advt.)

MEATH HUNT (NAVAN) STEEPLECHASES, 1926.

ON THURSDAY, APRIL 15th, 1926.

The following Race CLOSES (First Entry) on TO-MORROW (WEDNESDAY), NOVEMBER 4th, 1925, with Mr. F. Harold Clarke, 9 Hume street, Dublin:—

MEATH HUNT MAIDEN PLATE of 100 sovs. Entrance, 1 sov. Distance—Two miles.

Clerk of the Course—Mr. George F. Gradwell, Drogheda. —(Advt.)

LOUTH HUNT AND ARDEE STEEPLECHASES.

FRIDAY, APRIL 23rd, 1926.

The following Race CLOSES (First Entry) on TO-MORROW (WEDNESDAY), NOVEMBER 4th, 1925, with Mr. F. Harold Clarke, 9 Hume street, Dublin:—

THE MAIDEN PLATE of 100 sovs. Entrance, 1 sov. Two miles and a half.

Clerk of the Course—Mr. George F. Gradwell, Drogheda. —(Advt.)

NAAS.

SUCCESSFUL MEETING.

KANOWNA'S FINE WIN.

IRISH CAMBRIDGESHIRE CANDIDATE SCORES.

The racing season, as far as the Naas meetings are concerned, came to a close yesterday, when one of the most successful of the series was brought to issue. The newest of our meetings has enjoyed a remarkable run of success, and yesterday's racing would bear favourable comparison with any one-day fixture held in Ireland during the season. For both flat and steeplechase races there were plenty of runners—a total of forty-nine horses started in the six races—and the open character of the various events was a feature of the meeting. The Irish Cambridgeshire candidate made many friends by her easy manner of winning the Rathbride Plate, and she is now a strongly-fancied candidate for the last of the big handicaps.

All the seven runners for the Mountjoy Plate had supporters in the wagering, the best backed being Goose Green and Vesington King. The latter's chance was spoiled at the start through being cannoned into by another horse, but Goose Green had every chance, and at four furlongs it looked as if he and Zanoni would fight out the finish. In the last furlong, however, the outsider, Remember Me, quickly got their measure, and in the hands of the apprentice, P. O'Loughlin, won in runaway style. The winner, who is trained by her owner at Rathcoole, had an equally easy win at the Curragh, and is evidently a very much improved mare. Roseate Air put in a smart performance in winning the Maddenstown Nursery Handicap under his big impost of 9st. 3lb., but his win was in no small measure due to the riding of Joseph Canty. Mernault had a couple of lengths advantage a furlong from the winning post, and was striding out in free style when challenged by Roseate Air, and it was only in the last few strides that the latter got up to win by a short head. Tiber flattered for five furlongs but found the extra furlong beyond his reach, and Pride of Priestown also ran in disappointing style, but Wontblong was always prominent and finished close up fourth.

The two steeplechases were not the least interesting of the afternoon's races. The two miles event, for which there were five runners, fell an easy prey to the lightly-weighted Tiranogue but there was a splendid race for the Farewell Plate. Eight runners for a three miles steeplechase is an uncommon occurrence nowadays, and in a very open betting race the penalised Tralee winner, Castleblake, was given a slight preference over Kanowna and Pop Ahead. Castleblake, jumping big all through the race, lost ground at nearly every fence, and in the end this told its tale, and he had nothing to say to the finish, which was fought out by Kanowna, Pop Ahead and Rogiosko. Of the three, Kanowna stayed on the best, and, finishing in very determined style for a horse of his age, he wore down Pop Ahead in the last hundred yards. Lord Lascelles' horse thus supplemented his easy win at Proudstown Park last Saturday week, and showed that he is far from being a light of other days.

Hostility had no difficulty in winning the Rathbride Plate, and so impressive was her style of winning that she is now favourite for the Irish Cambridgeshire, in which race she incurs no penalty for this success. Though none too well placed in the early stages, she soon took the measure of the others in the last couple of furlongs, and her win could not have been more easily achieved. Lisworney, who disputed favouritism with the winner, never flattered, and the one to offer chief opposition was the outsider, Bantam, but he, like the others, had no chance in the last furlong. Colonel Honner's colours were carried to easy victory by Royal Falloch in the Ruanbeg Plate, which brought to a close a very enjoyable afternoon's racing. Details:—

2.0—THE MOUNTJOY PLATE of 100 sovs. A handicap. 5 f.

Mr. P. O'Carroll's b. m. REMEMBER ME, by Sunnyland—Think of Me, 4, 6-2 (car. 6-5) P. O'Loughlin 1
Mr. D. J. Cogan's ZANONI, 5, 8-1 (car. 8-5) W. Redmond 2
Mr. R. C. Ross's GOOSE GREEN, 3, 7-7 E. Foley 3
Mr. H. M. Hartigan's Vesington King, 4, 9-9 Jos. Canty 0
Mr. Jos. Read's Golden Bird, 3, 8-4 (car. 8-5) E. Quirke 0
Mr. P. McGowan's Happy Jem, 3, 7-6 J. Dines 0
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's Helen Adair, 3, 6-7 (car. 6-8) J. Lenehan 0
(Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—5 to 2 agst. Goose Green, 4 to 1 Vesington King, 5 to 1 each Zanoni, Helen Adair, and Golden Bird, 6 to 1 Happy Jem, 10 to 1 REMEMBER ME.

Vesington King began slowly, and Golden Bird made play from Happy Jem, Zanoni, Helen Adair, Goose Green and Remember Me, for half the journey, when Goose Green showed in front of Zanoni and Remember Me. The last-named challenged inside the distance, and won easily by three lengths; a head divided second and third. Vesington King was fourth, Happy Jem fifth, and Helen Adair next.

2.30—THE MADDENSTOWN PLATE of 100 sovs. A nursery handicap. 6 f.

Mr. H. M. Hartigan's br. g. ROSEATE AIR, by Wildair—Rosey Ina, 9-3 Jos. Canty 1
Mr. John Ryan's MERNAULT, 8-11 J. Moylan 2
Mr. D. J. Cogan's ADON AI, 7-13 D. Ward 3
Mr. H. I. Ussher's War Song, 8-6 M. Wing 0
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's Pride of Priestown, 7-13 W. Redmond 0
Mr. A. H. Macaulay's Brancardier, 8-1 P. Beasley 0
Mr. F. S. Myerscough's Domini, 7-11 J. Patman 0
Mr. J. J. Murphy's Wontblong, 7-4 John Doyle 0
Mr. J. J. McAuley's Tiber, 7-3 J. Lenehan 0
Mr. T. C. Jacob's Borodale, 7-0 P. Coyne 0
Mr. John Ryan's Woodrush, 7-0 (car. 7-5) W. Treacy 0
(Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—5 to 1 each agst. Pride of Priestown and Tiber, 6 to 1 each ROSEATE AIR and Domini, 7 to 1 each Mernault, Adon Ai, and Woodrush, 8 to 1 Brancardier, 20 to 1 any other.

Wontblong made play from Roseate Air, Mernault, Domini, Adon Ai and Tiber for half-way, when Tiber showed in front. Below the distance Mernault drew into the lead, followed by Adon Ai and Roseate Air, and the last-named challenging Mernault close home, won by a short head; three lengths divided second and third. Wontblong close up fourth, Tiber fifth, War Song sixth, Pride of Priestown seventh and Woodrush next.

3.0—THE ROSSMORE PLATE of 100 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. 2 m. 60 yds.

Mr. W. W. Ashe's br. m. TIRANOGUE, by Jackdaw—Rockley, 5, 9-7 J. Meany 1
Col. Sir G. Abercromby's FIRE WATER, 6, 10-6 P. Powell 2
Mr. J. Turner's WESTVIEW, a, 10-12 P. Grace 3
Mr. A. McCann's Tony Lad, 5, 11-6 J. Molony 0
Mr. M. Quinn's Charabanc, a, 10-13 D. Ward 0
(Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—2 to 1 agst. TIRANOGUE, 5 to 2 Charabanc, 5 to 1 each Westview and Tony Lad, 100 to 16 Fire Water.

Charabanc made play from Tony Lad, Tiranogue, and Westview, to the second last fence, where Tiranogue came on from Fire Water, and won in a canter by twelve lengths; six lengths divided second and third. Charabanc was fourth.

3.30—THE RATHBRIDE PLATE of 100 sovs. A handicap flat race. 1 m. 1 f.

Lord Furness's b. f. HOSTILITY, by Swynford—Drawbridge, 3, 7-11 W. Hamill 1
Mr. J. T. Wilson's BANTAM, 4, 6-9 J. Lenehan 2
Mr. P. P. O'Reilly's EAGER HEN, 5, 7-12 R. Cullen 3
Mr. L. Scott's Maureen M., 3, 9-8 A. Barrett 0
Mrs. D. Rogers's Marchesi, a, 9-2 P. Beasley 0
Mr. John Doyle's Tipperary Boy, 6, 8-6 Jas. Doyle 0
Mr. J. Staunton's Most Noble, 6, 7-11 John Doyle 0
Mrs. R. N. Caddell's Buntz, 3, 8-2 D. Ward 0
Mr. J. J. M'Auley's Saorstat, 4, 8-1 W. Howard 0
Lord Kenmare's Lisworney, 3, 7-13 W. Treacy 0
Mr. T. J. Taaffe's Snare, 4, 7-12 J. Dines 0
Mr. J. S. Myerscough's Alliteration, 3, 7-5 J. Patman 0
(Winner trained by J. T. Rogers.)

Betting—3 to 1 each agst. HOSTILITY and Lisworney, 4 to 1 Eager Hen, 5 to 1 Buntz, 8 to 1 Snare, 10 to 1 Bantam or any other.

Saorstat led from Alliteration, Bantam, Most Noble, Marchesi, Hostility, Tipperary Boy, Buntz and Eager Hen with Lisworney last to the distance, where Hostility came on from Bantam, and won in a canter by six lengths; three lengths divided second and third. Snare was fourth, Alliteration fifth, Buntz sixth, Most Noble seventh and Lisworney next.

4.0—THE FAREWELL PLATE of 55 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. 3 m. 76 yds.

Lord Lascelles's b. g. KANOWNA, by Ardoon—St. Brenda, a, 12-4 D. Ward 1
Mrs. H. Smyth's POP AHEAD, a, 10-9 S. Regan, jun. 2
Mr. S. H. Dennis's ROGIOSKO, a, 10-0 (car. 10-3) Owner 3
Mr. R. O'Neill's Peter's Pride, a, 12-2 Mr. R. O'Neill, jun. 0
Major Dixon's Halston, a, 12-4 J. Meaney 0
Lady Eva Forbes's Kilbarry, a, 10-4 J. Moylan 0
Mr. J. R. Collins's Castleblake, a, 10-3 C. Donnelly 0
Mrs. M. Traynor's School Girl, 6, 9-8 (car. 9-9) J. Molony 0
(Winner trained by M. Arnott.)

Betting — 5 to 2 agst. Castleblake, 4 to 1 each KANOWNA and Pop Ahead, 6 to 1 each Kilbarry and Rogiosko, 8 to 1 School Girl, 20 to 1 any other.

Peter's Pride refused the third fence, and although righted, was pulled up after half-way, as was Halston. Pop Ahead settled down in front of School Girl, Rogiosko, Halston, Kanowna and Castleblake, and led to the second last fence, where Kanowna joined Pop Ahead, and, getting the better of a fine finish, won by a length and a half; two and a half lengths divided second and third. Kilbarry was fourth, School Girl fifth, and Castleblake next.

4.25—THE RUANBEG PLATE of 75 sovs. A weight for age flat race. 1½ m.

Colonel Honner's b. g. ROYAL FALLOCH, by King's Ransom—Wounded Falloch, 3, 10-0 Mr. P. J. Osborne 1
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's GREEN GORSE, 3, 10-12 J. Moylan 2
Mr. W. J. Hilliard's RIGH PAIRC, 4, 10-4 Captain P. J. Hilliard 3
Mr. M. M'Donagh's Reliable, 4, 12-5 M. Wing 0
Mr. P. J. Beary's Pomponious, 4, 11-2 Owner 0
Mr. R. Crotty's Rapid River, a, 10-13 W. Redmond 0
(Winner trained by Captain Honner.)

Betting—7 to 4 on Green Gorse, 5 to 1 agst. ROYAL FALLOCH, 6 to 1 Pomponious, 10 to 1 each Righ Pairc and Reliable, 50 to 1 Rapid River.

Rapid River led from Green Gorse, Royal Falloch and Righ Pairc, for half-way, when Green Gorse took it up, but was headed below the distance by Royal Falloch, who won in a canter by five lengths; three-quarters of a length divided second and third. Rapid River was fourth and Reliable next.

WYE RESULTS.

1.30—ASHFORD SELLING HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 80 sovs. Second receives 5 sovs. 2 m.

Mr. T. Fitton's b. g. DAMAR, by Polymelus—Damage, a, 11-11 L. Hutchers 1
Mrs. G. Morris's VICTOR NOIR, a, 12-7 W. Smyth 2
Mr. W. H. A. Heald's PETTY CURY, a, 11-7 A. Robson 3

Also ran:—May Morn (L. Nye), Shy Spider (Col. Blacker), Archangel (E. Barker), Rhodarene (S. Feltham). Off 1.30. (Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—"Sporting Life"—7 to 4 agst. DAMAR, 5 to 2 Victor Noir, 6 to 1 Petty Cury, 7 to 1 Rhodarene, 10 to 1 any other. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Won by three lengths; a length and a half.

2.0—WYE SELLING HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 80 sovs. Second receives 5 sovs. 2 m.

Mr. L. Paine's b. g. SOUTHPOOL, by Southannan—Red Glow, a, 10-9 P. Cullen 1
Mr. J. W. Wood's TIM, a, 10-7 Lefebve 2
Mr. C. W. Langland's OWEN, 6, 12-7 T. Costello 3

Also ran:—Carrolstown (Mr. Whitbread), Sancho Panza (H. Hunt), Fitzpicton (F. Brookes), Aiken Drum (G. Green), Honest Boy (R. Trudgill), Harewick (R. Spares). Off 2.1. (Winner trained by G. Bennett)

Betting.—"Sporting Life"—5 to 2 agst. Fitzpicton, 3 to 1 Tim, 4 to 1 each SOUTHPOOL and Honest Boy, 10 to 1 any other. "Sporting Chronicle."—Same.

Won by three lengths; twelve lengths.

2.30—NOVEMBER HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 100 sovs. Second receives 10 sovs. and third 5 sovs. 2 m.

Mr. G. N. Bennett's b. f. MORE PRIDE, by Drinmore—Symington's Pride, 5, 11-2 S. Ingham 1
Mr. T. Hartigan's GOLDSMITH, 4, 11-10 F. Rees 2
Mr. R. Day's MONTAGUE, 5, 10-9 A. Smyth 3

Also ran:—Feltham Hill (G. Pellerin), Moor Maiden (W. Smyth), Red Or (Stanley), Llanymynech (E. Backhouse), Earlestown (D. Dick), Gondolier (J. Dillon), Dimanche Deal (E. Ringstead). Off 2.32. (Winner trained by Bennett.)

Betting.—"Sporting Life"—3 to 1 agst. MORE PRIDE, 7 to 2 Montague, 5 to 1 Goldsmith, 6 to 1 Feltham Hill, 7 to 1 Gondolier, 100 to 8 any other. "Sporting Chronicle."—Same.

Won by four lengths; ten lengths.

3.0—RUFFS' STEEPLECHASE of 100 sovs. Second receives 10 sovs. and third 5 sovs. 2 m.

Mr. D. Clarke's b. g. PRIORITY, by St. Brendan—Lady Car, a, 11-8 M. Tighe 1
Major C. Norrie's ARDUOUS, a, 12-0 F. Rees 2
Lieut.-Col. E. Wayland's WORD OF HONOUR, 6, 9-13 Mr. J. Gosden 3

Also ran—Start Again (Owner), Ormskirk (Mr. Pulford), Wee Laddie (F. Brookes), Red Rory (H. Smallpiece), Kickshaw (Lefebve). Off at 3.2. (Winner trained by Gore.)

Betting—"Sporting Life"—11 to 8 on Ardouus, 5 to 2 agst. PRIORITY, 10 to 1 Start Again, 100 to 6 any other. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Won by half a length; three lengths.

3.30—JUVENILE SELLING HURDLE RACE of 80 sovs. Second receives 5 sovs. 1½ m.

Mr. S. Rihll's b. g. SNOWCLOUD, by Friar Marcus—Reine de Neige, 10-7 G. Duller 1
Mr. V. Stapleton-Bretherton's BURNING THOUGHTS, 10-7 W. Smyth 2
Mr. H. Smyth's SURAFEND, 10-7 A. Smyth 3

Also ran—Stolen Ring (K. Piggott), Shepherd's Pie (A. Robson), Clementia (S. Ingham). Off at 3.30. (Winner trained by Turner.)

Betting—"Sporting Life"—7 to 4 on SNOWCLOUD, 9 to 2 agst. Surafend, 5 to 1 Burning Thoughts, 100 to 8 any other. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Won by half a length; ten lengths.

4.0—KENT STEEPLECHASE of 80 sovs. Second receives 10 sovs. 3 m.

Mr. J. W. Wood's ch. h. AMMONAL, by Oppressor—Tippytoes, a, 12-7 Lefebve 1
Mrs. S. Prince's MULLAGHMAST, a, 10-0 T. Costello 2
Mr. W. H. Whitbread's BEN CRUCHAN, a, 12-2 Owner 3

Also ran—Moytura (L. Butchers), Ballinamore (F. Brookes), Theban Prince (P. L'Estrange), Lady Bramshot (C. Turner). Off at 4.0. (Winner trained by Stanley.)

Betting—"Sporting Life"—5 to 4 on AMMONAL, 7 to 4 agst. Ben Cruchan, 7 to 1 Ballinamore, 20 to 1 any other. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Won by six lengths; four lengths.

SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

Hostility, the winner of the Rathbride Plate at Naas yesterday, incurs no penalty in the Irish Cambridgeshire.

W. M. Johnston yesterday won the Men's Singles championship of Mexico, defeating Howard Kinsey in the final, 6-3, 6-0, 6-4.

The inter-State cricket match between South Australia and Western Australia, at Adelaide, resulted in a vicory for the former by an innings and 281 runs.

The British Bowling team played a match yesterday against South Australia, at Adelaide, the result being a win for the home side by 229 shots to 167.

Mr. A. R. Cox, Mr. Somerville Tattersall, Mr. W. M. G. Singer and Mr. W. M. Cazalet will have second claim on R. Jones's services next season. Lord Astor has first claim.

The French-bred colt, Thamyris, whom Eugene Leigh brought over from France with the Cambridgeshire candidate, Coram, and who is now trained by Walter Griggs, has been tubed since his defeat by Tabennite last Wednesday.

McLeod yesterday beat the 100 miles (unpaced) world's cycling record established by Alden Quinton, the Australian amateur champion, on the 22nd October, by covering the distance in 4 hours, 36 mins. 4 secs. Quinton's time was 4 hours, 37 mins. 23 secs.

The following are non-runners at Birmingham to-day:—Bromford Plate—Drive On, Melibeus, Polemberg. Solihull Selling—Lydie III. colt, Navy Blue. Sutton Handicap—Ornamentation, Tivoli Girl. Tamworth Plate — Stepdaughter, Tamatoi. Doubtful runners:—Solihull Selling — Sofiant, War Bride filly. Burton Nursery—Barnabus, Bayford, Damozel. Harborne Plate — Empire. Tamworth Plate—Happy Climax, Saunderton.

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

WINDSOR MEETING.

Black Nest Welter Handicap—Sunstone, Hello. Frogmore Nursery Handicap—Simon the Beggar, Squat.

Guy Fawkes' Handicap—Naldera.

Catesby Nursery Handicap—Black Stefan, Simon the Beggar.

Digby 3-Y.O. Handicap—Roman Eagle.

Radcliffe Selling Handicap—Temible.

Mill Maiden Plate—Forget-me-Not f.

Windsor engagements—Holy Innocence.

NEWBURY MEETING.

November Nursery Handicap — Celandine c., Simon the Beggar, Norman Duke.

Reading Nursery Handicap—Black Stefan.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Romsey Hurdle, Bournemouth—The Gripper.

Weymouth Selling Hurdle, Bournemouth—Bombino.

Yarborough Selling Nursery, Lincoln — Gay Canopy.

Skeeby Hurdle, Catterick Bridge—Rosemary.

Tamworth Plate, Birmingham—Hello.

Solihull Selling Nursery, Birmingham—Flanigan's Ghost.

Burton Nursery Handicap, Birmingham—Squat.

Wetherby engagements, November 4th and 5th—White Mountain, Sobriety.

All engagements—Santa Savina, Sherbet, Stephanes, Danum, Grand Arcady, French Marten, Bold Wane, Gaydale, Bachelor's Ruby, Fort Flare, America f. (2 years), Helsby, King's Parade, Tor Achilty.

All engagements this year—Grey Steppe, Polychrome, Gossoon III., Xenia.

All engagements in Mr. James Bell's name—Retina.

Coventry Novices' Steeplechase, Cheltenham—St Caradoc.

Wetherby engagements—Belgian Boy, Jargoon.

Liverpool engagements—Cross Appeal.

Wetherby and Colwall Park engagements—Aubretia.

Amateur Riders' Hurdle, Cheltenham—Aubretia.

All engagements in Captain A. H. Wheeler's name—Nino.

BOXING.

NATIONAL SPORTING CLUB.

Joe Rolfe (Bermondsey) and Jack Hood (Birmingham), two hard-hitting welter-weights, headed the bill at the National Sporting Club last night. They met over fifteen rounds at 10st. 7lb. for £200. Details:—

10 Rounds Contest—Jim Carr (Reading) beat Fred George (Bridgend), on points.

10 Rounds Contest—Bill Softly (Poplar) beat Bob Miller (Ireland), on points.

15 Rounds Contest—Jack Hood (Birmingham) beat Joe Rolfe (Bermondsey), the referee stopping the contest in the fourth round. The men exchanged terrific punches in each of the rounds, and it was inevitable that one of them would eventually succumb. The Birmingham boxer was the winner because he timed his punches better than did Rolfe. The latter was down in the third, but he finished the round strongly. However, in the next he was sent to the boards on three occasions, and was thoroughly beaten when the referee intervened.

SCOTT-GODDARD MATCH OFF.

Mr. Lionel Bettinson informed the Press Association last evening that the championship contest between Phil Scott and Frank Goddard, the holder, fixed for the 16th inst., has been cancelled.

The National Sporting Club announced that the contest has been abandoned owing to the fact that certain rules in the articles had not been complied with. The contest between Ernie Izzard and Ernie Rice, also fixed for the 16th, will be decided at the N.S.C. on that night.

BIRMINGHAM RESULTS.

1.30—ESTATES SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. Second saves entrance. 7 f.

Mr. S. Wootton's b. h. BRESLANE, by Battle-axe—Clio, 5, 9-0 C. Smirke 1
Sir D. Horsfall's SAUCY IRIS, 2, 6-2 D. Morris 2
Lord Wavertree's BAYDON, 6, 8-11 G. Richards 3

Also ran—Jehoshaphat (H. Jelliss), Bachelor's Heir (F. Wadsworth), Flint Stone (J. Kirby), Mardi Gras (R. Jones), Granpau (J. Childs), Silhouette (F. Fox), Baby Hiskoe (W. Davey). Off 1.31. (Winner trained by Wootton.)

Betting—"Sporting Chronicle"—7 to 4 agst. Flint Stone, 3 to 1 Saucy Iris, 5 to 1 Bachelor's Heir, 6 to 1 BRESLANE, 10 to 1 each Jehoshaphat and Grandpau, 100 to 8 any other. "Sporting Life"—7 to 4 agst. Flint Stone, 3 to 1 Saucy Iris, 9 to 2 Bachelor's Heir, 6 to 1 BRESLANE, 10 to 1 any other.

Won by two lengths; a length. Silhouette was fourth and Baby Hiskoe last.

The winner was sold to Mr. J. Allen for 100 guineas.

2.0—BIRMINGHAM SELLING HANDICAP PLATE of 500 sovs. Second receives 20 sovs. out of plate. 1 m.

Mr. W. Leslie's b. g. BALDERSTON, by Swynford—Seadune, 4, 7-12 J. Caldwell 1
Mr. S. Morris's FLAVIUS, 6, 8-12 J. Taylor 2
Mr. C. Green's BARRIE BOY, 5, 8-1 C. Elliott 3

Also ran—Hydrangea (V. Smyth), Verneuil II. (H. Jelliss), Bart Snowball (C. Smirke), Lemstar (J. Thwaites), Horace (G. Richards), Gavotte (D. Morris), Indiscretion (F. Winter), Crubenmore (J. Shatwell), Little Gift (C. Rawles), Red Lac (F. Bullock), Merry Minstrel (J. Marshall), Ballyrag (F. Fox), Flaith Mor (R. Jones), Flown Away (Faulkner), Going Gay (H. Wragg), Golden Flake (T. Weston), Wee Mon (W. Alford), Belgian Maid (C. Richards), Cuba (A. Berry), Our Bill (H. Leach), The Mount (R. Spring). Off 2.2. (Winner trained by J. Dawson.)

Betting—"Sporting Chronicle"—9 to 2 agst. Barrie Boy, 7 to 1 each Indiscretion and Belgian Maid, 8 to 1 each BALDERSTON, Verneuil II. and Merry Minstrel, 10 to 1 Hydrangea, 100 to 8 Bart Snowball, 100 to 7 any other. "Sporting Life"—5 to 1 agst. Barrie Boy, 6 to 1 Belgian Maid, 8 to 1 each BALDERSTON, Merry Minstrel and Indiscretion, 9 to 1 Verneuil II., 10 to 1 Gavotte, 100 to 8 each Our Bill and Wee Mon, 100 to 7 any other.

Won by a neck; a head. Gavotte was fourth and Little Gift last.

The winner was sold to Mr. S. Wootton for 520 guineas.

2.30—COVENTRY NURSERY PLATE (HANDICAP) of 200 sovs. Second 20 sovs. 7 f.

Mr. H. Mollekin's br. g. MONT AIGUILLE, by Mount William—Needle Eye, 9-0 J. Taylor 1
Mr. R. B. Jeffrey's ARDOCK GELDING, 7-11 H. Leach 2
Sir H. Cunliffe-Owen's HATAMEN, 8-1 L. Brown 3

Also ran—Overcall (C. Elliott), Simba (W. Murch), Mohican (H. Miller), Fond Memories (J. Thwaites), Brushwood Boy (T. Weston), Mainstay (J. Sirett), Brusselton (F. Fox), Hoppy (G. Richards), Ninepin (A. Haynes), Moorish Maiden (R. James), The Miller (J. Kerr). Off 2.33. (Winner trained by M. Vasey.)

Betting—"Sporting Chronicle"—Evens Hoppy, 100 to 14 agst. MONT AIGUILLE, 8 to 1 each Fond Memories and Brushwood Boy, 9 to 1 Ninepin, 10 to 1 Moorish Maiden, 100 to 7 any other. "Sporting Life"—11 to 10 agst. Hoppy, 8 to 1 each MONT AIGUILLE, Fond Memories, Brushwood Boy, Ninepin, and Moorish Maiden, 100 to 7 any other.

Won by three-parts of a length; a neck. Brusselton was fourth, and Mohican last.

3.0—PACKINGTON HANDICAP PLATE of 800 sovs. Second 75 sovs., third 25 sovs. 5 f.

Mrs. G. Drummond's b. f. DALNAMEIN, by Sunstar—Cascatella, 4, 7-12 G. Richards 1
Mr. J. Fielden's SCHERZO, 4, 9-0 C. Elliott 2
Lady Barbara Smith's ST. GIRONETTE, 3, 6-11 J. Marshall 3
Mrs. Arthur James's Phalaros, 3, 8-5 T. Weston 0
Lord Glanely's Capture Him, 3, 7-6 F. Fox 0
Mr. R. L. Glasspool's Morals of Marcus, 4, 7-5 G. Walsh 0
Mr. J. Benson's Sunny South, 4, 7-3 A. Lindborg 0
Mr. F. L. C. Plummer's Mermaid, 5, 7-2 J. Caldwell 0
Mr. C. V. Tabor's Colossus, 5, 7-1 A. Burns 0
Mr. J. J. McAuley's Horatius, 3, 6-13 J. Sirett 0
Mrs. S. Whitburn's Iron Mask, 3, 6-12 H. Leach 0
Mr. H. R. Broughton's Diameter, 4, 6-10 A. Berry 0
Lord Wyfold's Alfreda, 3, 6-5 D. Morris 0
Off 3.3. (Winner trained by F. Darling.)

Betting.—"Sporting Chronicle"—7 to 2 agst. Scherzo, 8 to 2 Phalaros, 6 to 1 DALNAMEIN, 100 to 14 Mermaid, 8 to 1 each Capture Him and Alfreda, 100 to 12 Iron Mask, 10 to 1 Morals of Marcus, 100 to 8 any other. "Sporting Life"—7 to 2 agst. Scherzo, 5 to 1 Phalaros, 6 to 1 DALNAMEIN, 8 to 1 each Iron Mask, Capture Him, Mermaid, Alfreda, and Diameter, 100 to 9 Morals of Marcus, 100 to 7 any other.

St. Gironette, on the extreme left, made play from Dalnamein, in the centre, Mermaid, in the centre, Capture Him, on the right, Scherzo, on the right, Alfreda, on the right, Iron Mask, on the left, and Phalaros, in the centre, these positions being maintained till a quarter of a mile from home. Dalnamein then challenged St. Gironette, and quickly gaining the lead, Mrs. Drummond's filly held Scherzo at bay in the last hundred yards, and won by a length; half a neck away, was fourth. Mermaid fifth, Morals of Marcus sixth, Iron Mask seventh, Phalaros eighth, and Colossus last.

3.30—JUVENILE MAIDEN PLATE of 200 sovs. Second 20 sovs. 5 f.

Mrs. T. Carthew's b. or br. c. BULGER, by Bridge of Earn—Black Gem, 9-5 C. Smirke 1
Sir H. Meux's MOLLIFICATION F., 8-9 H. Beasley 2
Lord Wolverton's VALLON, 8-9 T. Weston 3

Also ran—Loch Ford colt (H. Jelliss), Sunny Rhyme colt (W. Wells), Kight Angle (R. Jones), Bachelor's Dice (F. Wadsworth), Mantua colt (J. Brennan), Potato Ring (R. James), Woodstock II. (A. Haynes), Looking Forward (H. Jameson), Blaze (C. Elliott), Mary Stuart (F. Winter), Dalkeith filly (F. Lane), Sappho (F. Bullock), Livtofite (J. Kirby), Spearm filly (G. Archibald), Eerie gelding (H. Miller), Jolangus (H. Wragg), Zerlina (M. Beary), Sunny Agnes (J. Childs), Postmark (J. Thwaites). Off 3.32. (Winner trained by Wootton.)

Betting.—"Sporting Chronicle"—13 to 8 agst. BULGER, 9 to 4 Spearm filly, 6 to 1 Zerlina, 8 to 1 Livtofite, 10 to 1 Blaze, 100 to 8 Dalkeith filly, 20 to 1 any other. "Sporting Life"—7 to 4 agst. BULGER, 2 to 1 Spearm filly, 6 to 1 Zerlina, 8 to 1 Livtofite, 100 to 8 Dalkeith filly, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by a head; three parts of a length. Livtofite was fourth and Eerie gelding last.

4.0—MAIDEN (APPRENTICE) PLATE of 150 sovs. Second 10 sovs. 1½ m.

Mr. J. H. S. Cannon's b. f. SILVER TAIL, by Simon Square—Silver Stream, 3, 6-1 F. Cooper 1
Colonel W. F. Story's CHRYSOLITE, 3, 6-7 N. Carroll 2
Mrs. N. Roberts's RIDGEWAY, 3, 7-1 D. Jones 3

Also ran—Siope (G. Harwood), Nile Prince (D. Murphy). Off 4.1. (Winner trained by J. Cannon.)

Betting—"Sporting Chronicle"—9 to 4 agst. Ridgeway, 5 to 2 Chrysolite 7 to 2 each SILVER TAIL and Siope, 10 to 1 Nile Prince. "Sporting Life"—9 to 4 each Chrysolite and Ridgeway, 3 to 1 Siope, 4 to 1 SILVER TAIL, 100 to 8 Nile Prince.

Won by two lengths; eight lengths. Nile Prince was last.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

The second portion of the Birmingham programme is not less interesting than the first. The Burton Nursery should produce a capital race. There seems to be a doubt as to whether Bella Minna is quite at her best at the moment. We have seen nothing of her upon a racecourse since exactly two months ago she annexed the Champion Foal Plate at Derby from Moti Mahal (gave 3lb.) and William of Tyre (received 8lb.). At even weights she should account for Devachon, also for Bayford. A line through Moti Mahal is strongly suggestive of the ability of Beatty's charge to beat all the lot above 8st. if she is in her summer form, but on the 8st. 6lb. mark Quick Stick is likely to prove a stiffish fence for all-comers here to negotiate. Golden Fairy's record is consistency itself, with a second and twice third in three attempts. On her first appearance she finished well ahead of Quick Stick at evens. The best in the race may prove to be Bella Minna, Saint's Bell, Happy Elf, and Herbalist. There is a number of moderate animals weighted for the Sutton Handicap, but if saddled Vaudricourt is one to be reckoned with on his Cesarewitch display, and his showing behind Forseti was sufficiently creditable to justify a strong word in his favour in this instance. Glen Andred should secure a place. Selections:—

Bromford Plate—**Pass the Mint.***

Solihull Nursery—**F. Darling's best.**

Burton Nursery—**Bella Minna** or **Quick Stick.**

Sutton Handicap—**Vaudricourt**; if absent, **Glen Andred.**

Harborne Plate—**Cragford**; **Chinkapin**, a place.

Tamworth Plate—**Man at Arms**; if absent, **Royal Offender.**

DOUBLE—**Pass the Mint** and **Bella Minna.**

1.30—BROMFORD SELLING PLATE of 300 sovs. 1¼ m. Age st. lb.

DING HOW (Mr. J. Sharp) Walters 5 9 2
STEPHON (Mr. W. F. Larkin) Owner 5 9 2
VERNEUIL II. (Mr. T. R. Higgins) Hackett 5 9 2
CORCYRIAN (Mr. S. Wootton) Owner 6 9 2
FURIOUS (Mr. E. Barnett) Gilbert a 8 13
BATTLE SONG (Mr. F. Cobb) Owner 4 8 13
ROMAN FIDDLE (Mr. H. Crawford) A. Vasey a 8 13
PASS THE MINT (Mr. F. Templeman) Owner 6 8 13
FLOWN AWAY (Lt.-Col. E. M. Dansey) Faulkner 5 8 13
INDISCRETION (Mr. W. Higgs) Owner 4 8 13
ROUNDHAY (Mr. B. Dawson) Pollock 6 8 13
HORACE (Ld. Wavertree) Hogg 3 8 7
RIDGEWAY (Mrs. N. Roberts) Roberts 3 8 7
GLADIOLA (Mr. S. Wootton) Owner 3 8 4
(The above have arrived.)
PALOMIDES (Capt. Bewicke) Owner a 9 2
SCALIGER (Mrs. E. Brock) G. Bennett 5 9 2
AEROSTAR (Mr. C. Green) C. Piggott 4 9 2
BRIDGE OF CAHIR (Mr. C. E. Parker) Coulthwaite 4 9 2
SYNORIX (Mr. P. Ralli) A. Sadler 5 9 2
KING'S FLEET (Capt. C. Boyd-Rochfort) Owner 4 8 13
VINDICTIVE (Capt. Bewicke) Owner a 8 13
MELIBEUS (Mr. W. L. Christie) R. Armstrong 6 8 13
NOISY (Mr. A. P. Cunliffe) Owner 5 8 13
DRIVE ON (Capt. A. F. Sadler) Poole 6 8 13
VOTTE (Mr. P. Layton) R. J. Colling 6 8 13
POLEMBERG (Ld. Lonsdale) R. Armstrong 6 8 13
CLYMPING (Mr. H. Lines) Owner 5 8 13
SALE TICKET (Mr. L. F. Fatterini) Pollock 5 8 13
ROCK THORN (Mr. J. Aitken) Owner 3 8 4

SUIVI (Mr. T. P. Murray) O. Bell 3 8 4
MISS GOSLING (Maj. C. H. Stevens) Owner 3 8 4

2.0—SOLIHULL SELLING NURSERY 200 sovs. 6 f. st. lb.

CARA MIA (Mrs. G. Drummond) F. Darling 8 10
THE MILLER (Mr. James White) L. Ward 8 6
MOUNTAIN GIFT (Eleanor Lady Torrington) Bartholomew 8 2
PRIOR'S HILL (Lt.-Col. K. Johnston) Owner 6 13
(The above have arrived.)
WATCHFUL (Mr. T. Hogg) Owner 9 0
GAUNT'S HOLIDAY (Sir A. Bailey) R. Day 8 13
ELM TWIG F., by White Eagle (Mr. C. Green) C. Piggott 8 12
GOLDEN BROOM (Capt. S. Lord) Beatty 8 11
JUNE CLOVER (Mr. H. C. Miller) Dale 8 10
STILLA (Mr. W. H. Allden) Allden 8 10
HEDGESIDE (Mr. George Hardy) Hogg 8 9
PALESTRO (Sir F. Eley) Bartholomew 8 8
ELEANOR M. F., by Sky-rocket (Ld. Derby) Lambton 8 8
VENTRILOQUIST (Mr. A. E. Hesketh) Rimell 8 7
BLINNAN (Mr. E. Wright) H. Sadler 8 6
BIALA G., by Sky-rocket (Mr. R. Day) Owner 8 5
MONCEL (Mr. R. L. Glasspool) C. Leader 8 4
WAR BRIDE F., by Fowling-piece (Mr. S. Morris) M. Vasey 8 4
BULL BEE (Mr. J. Butters) Owner 8 2
DARING (Mr. F. Wright) H. Sadler 8 2
SATURN (Mr. F. Darling) Owner 8 1
SWEET SULTAN (Mr. Frank Curzon) Watts 8 1
ORISONIA (Mr. J. H. Ulyatt) Hamshaw 8 1
SOFIANT (Lt.-Col. E. M. Dansey) Faulkner 8 1
NAVY BLUE (Mr. H. Escott) Owner 8 0
MISS MAUD F., by Tredennis (Mr. T. D. Peacock) M. Vasey 7 13
MINDFUL G., by Roi Herode (Mrs. H. R. Pape) F. Leader 7 12
JOTA G., by Marten (Mr. E. A. Wigan) Braime 7 12
THE LADY OWES (Sir Darcy Lindsay) Edwards 7 11
PETER'S PENCE (Lt.-Col. R. Johnson) Owner 7 11
LYDIE III. C., by St. Tudwal (Mr. G. A. Butchers) Owner 7 10
ETHELWALD (Mr. R. J. Colling) Owner 7 7
LOVELY KISS (Mr. H. J. Brueton) C. Piggott 7 6
JAEL C., by Dynamo (Mr. W. F. Shedden) Owner 7 2
ADAM'S LADY (Mr. F. J. Benson) E. Piggott 6 13

2.30—BURTON NURSERY of 1CC sovs. Second receives 50 sovs. and third 20 sovs. 5 f. st. lb.

BELLA MINNA (Col. R. C. Fairfax) Beatty 9 0
QUICK STICK (Mrs. T. Carthew) Wootton 8 6
HERBALIST (Mrs. Arthur James) Lambton 7 13
SOME JUNE (Mrs. G. Drummond) F. Darling 7 9
AUTOCRAT (Mr. H. E. Steel) Whitaker 7 7
SPIKEHEAD (Lt.-Col. Giles Loder) Gilpin 7 6
WARSPITE (Mr. J. B. Joel) C. Peck 7 4
FLY GIRL (Mrs. A. Bendir) E. Harper 7 0
HAPPY ELF (Mr. George Hardy) Hogg 7 0
BURNSIDE (Sir Walter Gilbey) T. Cannon 6 10
SAINTS BELL (Mr. C. Whitburn) Cottrill 6 9
GAGGLE C., by Valens (Capt. J. G. R. Homfray) Sherwood 6 7
ROSINA C., by Stefan the Great (Mr. J. Sharp) Walters 6 6
(The above have arrived.)
DEVACHON (Mrs. L. H. Walker) (10lb. ex.) H. Leader 9 0
BAYFORD (Sir C. Hyde) (10lb. ex.) Scobie 8 10
DODDER (Mr. Sol Joel) Earl 8 7
SEAMAID C., by Grand Parade (Ld. Glanely) Barling 8 3
GOLDEN FAIRY (Ld. Derby) Lambton 8 3
BIG BEN (Mr. F. W. Horlock) Wal. Griggs 7 11
ARMORIAL ENSIGN F., by Sunstar (Col. Lundgren) Persse 7 8
DAMOZEL (Sir Charles Hyde) Scobie 7 7
PAULA (Mr. Sol Joel) Earl 7 4
SET DANCE (Mrs. Sol Joel) Lines 6 9
BEAUJOLAIS (Mrs. P. F. Heybourn) Colling 6 8
BARNABAS (Mr. J. C. Spivey) Cole 6 6
OKBINDOS (Mr. B. Coulson) A. Day 6 5

3.0—SUTTON HANDICAP of 500 sovs. Second receives 50 sovs. and third 20 sovs. 1 m. 5 f. Age st. lb.

PERFECTUS (Mr. A. W. Gordon) F. Leader 6 9 3
SHIPPON (Mr. T. Davidson) Cottrill a 8 10
DARK FOX (Sir Charles Hyde) Scobie 6 8 8
BROKEN FAITH (Mr. W. A. Read) Gooch a 7 8
GLEN ANDRED (Mr. F. H. W. Cundell) Cundell 6 7 7
KWANNON (Mr. W. M. G. Singer) D. Scourfield 5 7 6
(The above have arrived.)
VOLTOI (Mr. J. J. McAuley) (7lb. ex) Coombs 4 8 11
ORNAMENTATION (Lord Lonsdale) R. Armstrong 5 8 10
LACOCK (Sir Francis Price) Gilbert 5 8 2
PINNACE (Capt. F. E. Guest) Barrett 4 7 10
IRISH MOLLY (Mr. J. Cooper) Hogg 4 7 10
MINT D'OR (Mr. A. C. Ioannou) W. Nightingall 3 7 9
BLANCHEFLEUR II. (Lady Birkin) J. Dawson 4 7 8
RESOLVE (Mr. E. Ward) Bedford 3 7 8
NIGHT GUARD (Mr. W. Leslie) J. Dawson 4 7 6
VAUDRICOURT (Mr. C. Green) C. Piggott 5 7 5
BRODICK BAY (Lord Derby) Lambton 3 7 3
TIVOLI GIRL (Mr. W. Swire) G. Armstrong 3 7 3
ARGO (Lord Londesborough) H. A. Brown 6 7 3
SUBDUER (Capt. F. ffrench Davis) Gilbert 4 7 1
TRAPEZE (Lord Derby) Lambton 3 7 0
FANTASTICAL (Commander J. W. McCowen) McColl a 7 0

3.30—HARBORNE T.-Y.-O. PLATE (high-weight h'cap.) of 200 sovs. Second receives 20 sovs. 6 f. st. lb.

SILVER MUSE (Lt.-Col. Johnson) Owner 8 5
POOR SCATS (Mrs. Whitburn) Cottrill 8 4
CRAGFORD (Mr. E. Clark) Hogg 8 3
SALOPIAN (Mr. M. Vasey) Owner 8 1
HAWK'S CASTLE (Mr. Smith) W. Waugh 7 13
MAKE AND BREAK (Mr. Hoole) Braime 7 12
GALWAY LASS (Capt. Forester) E. Harper 7 11
HELLO (Mr. C. Davis) Owner 7 10
CHINKAPIN (Mr. Cox) Taylor 7 9
PAPILLON (Mr. J. Sharp) Walters 7 8
KING'S YELLOW (Mr. Benson) E. Piggott 7 7
GLITTERING (Mr. Benson) P. Lowe 7 2
(The above have arrived.)
SUN GOD II. (Mr. Macomber) S. Darling 9 5
EMPIRE (Mrs. R. Jeffrey) Higgs 9 3
THE SLIDING STONE (Maj. Reynolds) Private 9 1
THE VIRGINIAN (Mr. Ryan) Persse 8 9
COMMUTER (Sir A. Bailey) R. Day 8 8
THE DUENNA (Ld. Derby) Lambton 8 0
GIPSY LASS (Mr. Leigh) C. Leader 7 13
DEBONETTE (Mr. C. C. Parr) J. Lyall 7 13
SEA SCOUT (Lt.-Col. Birkin) Leach, sen. 7 7
ASCOT LAD (Mr. Waldron) R. Jones 7 2
BOSY BISTO (Mrs. Stevens) C. Stevens 7 1
AUREATE (Mr. Hilliard) Morris 7 0
GILBERT (Sir A. Bailey) Cobb 7 0
LITTLE BIT OF FLUFF (Miss M. Keyser) J. Ward 7 0
GOODFORD (Mr. G. Hilditch) Spittle 7 0

4.0—TAMWORTH PLATE of 200 sovs. For horses which have not won a race value 150 sovs. since 1923. Second receives 20 sovs. 1 m. Age st. lb.

ALFRED THE GREAT (Mr. J. K. Thornton) J. T. Dodd 4 8 7
VALOROUS (Sir William Cooke) Platt 3 7 7
RIDGEWAY (Mrs. N. Roberts) Roberts 3 7 7
GALWAY LASS (Capt. F. Forester) E. Harper 3 7 4
CHRYSOLITE (Col. W. F. Story) J. Dawson 3 7 4
(The above have arrived.)
FORNOVO (Mrs. Sanday) Sanday 6 8 7
CELEBRATE (Mr. C. Barclay) Wootton 5 8 7
MAINGAF (Mrs. C. Stevens) C. Stevens 5 8 4
GUINEA STAMP (Mr. J. P. Webb) T. Webb a 8 4
MOOR MAIDEN (Mr. G. S. L. Whitelaw) Owner 5 8 4
OLD TIMES (Mr. Taylor) Coulthwaite a 8 4
THEOLOGY (Major M. C. C. Harrison) Cramsie 4 8 4
LORDSHIP (Mr. T. Rintoul) Owner 4 8 0
BRIDGE OF CAHIR (Mr. C. E. Parker) Coulthwaite 4 8 0
ARDLEY (Lady C. Slessor) Templeman 3 8 0
MOON MYRTLE (Mr. H. E. Steel) Walls 4 8 0
IMARI (Capt. E. F. Angler) Owner 4 7 11
BONDSMAN (Sir Abe Bailey) R. Day 4 7 11
MAN AT ARMS (Mr. P. P. Gilpin) Owner 4 7 11
YOUNG HEROINE (Mr. W. Parsonage) Whitaker 3 7 11
HAIRPIN II. (Mr. G. P. Sanday) Owner a 7 11
HAPPY CLIMAX (Mr. A. B. Walker) Rhodes 4 7 11
GREAT SAND (Mr. John Bell) Owner 3 7 7
POLYPEN (Mr. W. J. Bellerby) Owner 3 7 7
IMPERATOR (Sir Hugo C.-Owen) O. Bell 3 7 7
CAPTAIN SCOTT (Mr. Peter Ralli) A. Sadler 3 7 7
DANDALOO (Mr. W. Raphael) G. Sadler 3 7 7
MULBERRY WALK (Sir John Robinson) Leach, sen. 3 7 7
MERRY MICHAEL (Mrs. N. S. Gritt) Gilbert 3 7 7
GAINFORD (Mr. G. Hooper) C. Young 3 7 7
VAINQUEUR (Sir Victor Sassoon) Crawford 3 7 7
ROYAL OFFENDER (Lord Barnby) Persse 3 7 4
LEMNOS (Lord Ellesmere) Pickering 3 7 4
ALUM CHINE (Mr. H. H. Golightly) Owner 3 7 4
TAMATOI (Mrs. Hartigan) M. Hartigan 3 7 4
CRYSTAL (Sir R. W. B. Jardine) T. Waugh 3 7 4
SAUNDERTON (Mr. R. R. Jeffrey) Higgs 3 7 4
LITTLE BIT OF FLUFF (Miss M. Keyser) J. Ward 3 7 4
SANDYFORD (Mr. G. F. Leader) Owner 3 7 4
WALLOP (Mr. H. Liddell) Woodland 3 7 4
BROTH OF A BOY (Mr. H. Mollekin) M. Vasey 3 7 4
JANIRA (Mrs. Rudd) Oliver 3 7 4
STEPDAUGHTER (Mr. Tattersall) Taylor 3 7 4
CARRYDUFF (Lord W. de Broke) Turner 3 disq.
FORDNEY (Mr. G. Hardy) Hogg 3 disq.

HOCKEY.

TO-DAY'S FIXTURES.

Monkstown II. v. Maids of the Mountain III. Park avenue, 3.30 p.m.

Maids of the Mountain v. Old College. Foxrock, 3 p.m.

MONKSTOWN. — Misses Braddell, Phillips, Henderson, L. Portley, Plunkett, Williams, Richardson, Ringwood, MacGuinness, M. Portley, Anderson.

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DUNSHAUGHLIN MEETING—TO-DAY.

THE DRAW.

Judge—Mr. Davin. Slipper—M. Horan.

TRIAL STAKES—For 14 puppies. Winner, £16; second, £9; two dogs, £2 10/- each.

Mr. J. Markey's Barney's Victory agst. Mr. J. R. Ward's Zena.

Mrs. T. Coleman's Dancing Biddy agst. Mr. T. J. Connolly's Neathbragh.

Mr. P. J. McNamara's Blue Monday agst. Miss Sagrave's S.O.S.

Mr. T. Tuite's Royal Meath agst. Mr. W. Sweeney's Sandow.

Mrs. T. Ahern's Always Alert agst. Mr. D. J. Garry's Greencroft Beauty.

Mr. J. S. Griffin's Irish Sport agst. Miss K. Fullam's Just for Luck.

Mr. V. McDonough's Risen Hope agst. Mr. P. Flynn's Beauty Raven.

RATOATH STAKES (with I.C.C. Cup)—For 16 all-ages. Winner, £25; second, £10; two dogs, £3 10/- each.

Mr. P. J. Campbell's Dum Lively agst. Mr. R. J. Tynan's Temple Hill.

Mr. J. Barrington's Hidden Mot agst. Mr. J. G. Burke's The Bedouin.

Mr. P. J. McNamara's Lennis agst. Mr. W. Duffy's Dysart Steeple.

Mr. G. Irwin's Little Biddy Flynn agst. Mr. E. Shelly's Sardine.

Miss N. McAllister's Cross Jack agst. Mr. E. Shelly's Sturgeon.

Mr. P. J. Hession's Dorney agst. Mr. J. Lynch's Royal Chum.

Mr. J. Hayes's Derravaragh agst. Mr. T. Carr's Cottage Girl.

Miss A. B. Malone's Sawdust agst. Mr. P. Boland's Top Speed.

HOPE-JOHNSTONE CUP—For 16 all-ages (members). Winner, £14; second, £7; two dogs, £2 each.

Mr. M. Byrne's Ardcath Beauty agst. Mrs. T. Ahern's Tiles.

Mr. J. Fitzpatrick's Sunnyside Susan agst. Mr. M. Lynch's Clonalish.

Mr. V. J. Rountree's Rye Ranger agst. Mr. E. Flynn's Dey.

Messrs. G. and H. Yeates's Column Dodger agst. Mr. B. McKenna's Johnny Slow.

Mr. V. J. Rountree's Rye Maid agst. Mr. J. Bruton's Beaming Lad.

Mr. N. Rooney's Gravitation agst. Miss T. Russell's Master Jedder.

Mr. J. R. Ward's Gaby Field agst. Mr. J. S. Griffin's Irish Mick.

Mr. P. O'Brien's Mountain Lodge agst. Mr. P. J. McNamara's Lady Bluebird.

TARA STAKES—For 4 puppies. Winner, £6; Messrs. G. and H. Yeates's Your Brigade agst. Mr. P. R. Considine's Clever Damsel.

Mr. P. R. Considine's Commander Joe agst. Mr. R. F. Tynan's Thornton.

Meet at Grange 9 o'clock. First brace in slips at 9.30 sharp.

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MALLOW MEETING—YESTERDAY.

Judge—Mr. M. F. Davin. Slipper—W. Donoghue.

THE DUHALLOW STAKE—For 16 all-ages (confined). Winner, £20 and Cup; second, £8; two dogs, £2 each.

Mr. M. Geary's bd. d. Broghill Fox (Royal Dictator—Chinwagger) beat Mr. R. Roberts' w. and bd. d. Godfrey Charles (Silent Bertie—Lagger Head).

Miss Cronin's bk. d. Cheerful Cert (Cheerful Charger—Chiming Still) beat Mr. D. Halfihan's bk. b. Hackaway (Breaker—Entoca).

Mr. M. O'Mahony's bk. b. Alty (Gobby—Merry Belle) beat Mr. J. O'Toole's bk. d. Jim's Favourite (Cheerful Charger—Rebel Lady).

Mr. J. G. Verling's w. and blue d. Dickie Bird (Commandant Pearse—Sour Grapes) beat Mr. W. Barrett's bd. b. Lady Meta (Irish Steeple—Miss Lill).

Mr. J. Naughton's bk. d. Merry Kid (Gobby—Merry Belle) beat Mr. P. Irwin's bd. and w. b. Wheel of Fortune (Harmonsallia—Cissie's Fortune).

Mr. T. Flynn's w. and bd. b. Fancy's Flight (Tip Top VIII.—Sue's Fancy) beat Mr. D. Walsh's w. and r. d. Warren Whisper (Warren Why—Warren Wasp).

Mr. P. J. Power's r. or f. b. Lady Stinna (Three Speed—Meditation), a bye; Mr. T. Aherne's bd. d. Irish Whisper (Irish Steeple—Meditation) absent.

Mr. G. Linehan's f. or r. d. Shanbally (Three Speed—Acushla II.) beat Mr. C. Forde's bd. b. Faction Fighter (Guard's Brigade—Ocean Wild).

II.

Cheerful Cert, a bye; Broghill Fox disq.
Dickie Bird beat Alty.
Merry Kid beat Fancy's Flight.
Shanbally beat Lady Stinna.

III.

Dickie Bird beat Cheerful Cert.
Merry Kid beat Shanbally.

IV.

Dickie Bird beat Merry Kid.

THE CASTLE STAKES—For 16 puppies. Winner, £25; second, £10; two dogs, £2 10/- each.

Mr. J. Callanan's r. or f. d. Carrig King (Kashmir King—Silent Hope) beat Mr. T. Corcoran's f. or bd. and w. d. Chronea (Clunagh Fiddler—Coleen Og).

Mr. J. O'Connor's bk. and w. b. Giddy Fiddle (Clunagh Fiddler—Ocean Haze) beat Mr. P. O'Toole's bd. b. Cheerful Duckie (Cheerful Charger—Rebel Lady).

Mr. W. Creagh's bd. d. Arrowman (Bohermore—Toaghill Island) beat Mr. J. Mulcahy's r. or f. b. Mill Music (Silent Chieftain—Net Wire).

Mr. J. Dinneen's bd. d. Oh, By Jingo (Commandant Pearse—Desmond Lass IV.) beat Mr. E. Moriarty's bd. b. Maureen Lass (Guy—Annagh Lass).

Mr. E. Ferris's bd. and w. d. Free and Fair (Clunagh Fiddler—Bran IV.) beat Mr. M. Mullane's bk. b. Marriage Money (Cheerful Charger—Old Rival).

Mr. P. O'Brien's bk. d. Ocean Blizzard (Guard's Brigade—Ocean Wild) beat Mr. T. F. Moynihan's w. and f. Moorish Monnagh (Guy—Annagh Lass).

Mr. D. O'Connell's f. or r. d. Arch Bell (Arch Gift—Bell Tinker) beat Mr. J. M'Ellistrim's bd. and w. d. The Champion (Clunagh Fiddler—Bran IV.).

Mr. P. Rooney's f. b. Swift Maid (Cheerful Speed—Mystic), a bye; Mr. J. M'Carthy's f. d. Zulu Chief (Arch Gift—Bell Tinker) absent.

II.

Carrig King beat Giddy Fiddle.
Oh, By Jingo beat Arrowman.
Free and Fair beat Ocean Blizzard.
Arch Bell beat Swift Maid.

III.

Carrig King beat Oh, By Jingo.
Free and Fair beat Arch Bell.

IV.

Free and Fair beat Carrig King.

THE CARROKEAL STAKE and Cup, presented by Mr. D. Walsh—For 16 all-ages. Winner, £40; second, £16; two dogs, £4 each.

Mr. J. T. Guihan's r. or f. d. Half-Point (Staff Job—Wrench) beat Mr. W. Wilson's bd. and w. d. Melsham Aeroplane (Melsham Midget—Melsham Duchess).

Mr. J. W. O'Brien's bd. d. Full Swing (Full Speed—Hard Hit II.) beat Mr. J. McEllistrim's w. and bd. d. Mulcahy (Tetrarch—Marks of Misfortune).

Mr. T. Watson's f. or bd. d. Beauty's Fancy (Tip Top VIII.—Dainty Lady II.) beat Mr. W. O'Sullivan's w. and bd. d. Old Needen (Tip Top VIII.—Glenquin Lass).

Mr. J. Moloney's f. d. Gobby Fawn (Gobby—Our Ciss) beat Mr. J. Houlihan's bd. d. Take Your Time (Idler—Our Best).

Mr. T. O'Brien's f. or r. d. Odd Beggar (Three Speed—Brenda) beat Mr. W. Mackessy's bd. d. Rockfire (Full Speed—Hard Hit II.).

Mr. J. Fenton's f. d. Fair Fashion (First Light—Mastoreen Oge) beat Mr. W. O'Riordan's bk. b. Winter Raven (Cheerful Charger—Fairy Gift).

Mr. M. Collins's bd. and w. d. Carrig Gift Connolly's bk. and w. d. Clunagh Tango (Clunagh Fiddler—Clunagh Dazzler).

Mr. D. Ryan's bd. d. War Cry IV. (Full Speed—Hard Hit II.) beat Mr. D. J. Callan's w. and bd. d. Hunting Call (Commandant Pearse—Home Manufacture).

II.

Half Point beat Full Swing.
Gobby Fawn beat Beauty's Fancy.
Fair Fashion beat Odd Beggar.
Carrig Gift beat War Cry IV.

III.

Gobby Fawn beat Half Point.
Fair Fashion beat Carrig Gift.

IV.

Fair Fashion beat Gobby Fawn.

THE BLACKWATER STAKE—For 16 all-ages. Winner, £25; second, £10; two dogs, £2 10/- each.

Mr. J. Masters's r. or f. d. Brasso (Line of Battle—Janey's Fancy) beat Mr. J. Sullivan's bd. d. Silent Beau (Let 'Im Out—Silent Beauty).

Mr. T. Watson's bk. b. Kitty Kelly (Tip Top VIII.—Dainty Lady II.) beat Dr. Griffin's f. d. Good Scholar (Schoolmaster—Goggles II.).

Mr. J. Jones's f. d. Ivy Bridge (Harmony XII.—Sapphire) beat Mr. J. Kingsley's bd. d. Three Arch (Arch Gift—Molly Darling IV.).

Mrs. P. O'Brien's bd. d. Ocean Storm (Guard's Brigade—Ocean Wild) beat Mr. J. J. O'Connor's bd. and w. b. Tip and Go (Tip Top VIII.—Coming Fast).

Mr. W. O'Sullivan's bd. d. Neideen Abu (Tip Top VIII.—Glenquin Lass) beat Mr. T. O'Brien's f. or r. b. Odd Beauty (Three Speed—Brenda).

Mr. J. Flanagan's w. and bk. d. Full Freedom (Commandant Pearse—Sour Grapes) beat Mr. P. Cronin's bk. d. Cooney Island (Scattery Island—Lucy).

Mr. E. Sheehan's bd. d. Goggin's Hill (Silent Chieftain—Greetings) beat Mr. C. J. Bulling's bd. and w. d. Ahabeg Lad (Dunleer—Gipsey).

Captain P. Duggan's f. or r. b. Dazzling Dodo (Commandant Pearse—Wet Kiss) beat Mr. J. F. Donoughe's bd. b. Sheheree Lass (Silent Chieftain—Greetings).

II.

Brasso beat Kitty Kelly.
Ocean Storm beat Ivy Bridge.
Full Freedom beat Neideen Abu.
Dazzling Dodo beat Goggin's Hill.

III.

Ocean Storm beat Brasso.
Full Freedom beat Dazzling Dodo.

IV.

Full Freedom beat Ocean Storm.

BILLIARDS.

NEWMAN v. STEVENSON.

Newman and Stevenson, holder and former holder of the Championship, respectively, yesterday began a match of 18,000 up at Thurston's Hall, London, yesterday afternoon, Stevenson receiving a start of 4,000 points. The latter was completely outclassed in the initial session, and scored only 254 points as against Newman's 751. The champion had breaks of 72, 150, 200, 121, and 153 (unfinished). Stevenson's best was 52. Interval scores:—Stevenson (rec. 4,000), 4,254; Newman (in play), 751.

Newman gave a delightful exhibition when he continued his unfinished break at night, and went to 461 before he broke down, miss-cueing at a screw cannon. He subsequently had 76, 188, 112, and 40 (unfinished), while Stevenson's only runs of note were 67 and 92. Closing scores:—Stevenson (rec. 4,000), 4,477; Newman (in play), 1,500.

SMITH v. DAVIS.

Fresh from his triumph over the champion, Davis yesterday opposed Smith in a match of 18,000 up at Newcastle, the Chesterfield player receiving a start of 6,000. A feature of the opening session was a brilliant break of 369 by Smith, who outscored Davis by exactly 100 points, having an aggregate of 602, as against 502 by his opponent. Smith's other runs were 60 and 66, and Davis's best 156, 119, and 61 (unfinished). Interval scores:—Davis (rec. 6,000), 6,502; Smith, 502.

Smith proved to be in excellent form in the evening. His chief breaks were 458, 90, and 296 (unfinished). Davis had breaks of 245, 78 and 69. Closing scores:—Davis (rec. 6,000), 6,918; Smith (in play), 1,500.

INMAN UNABLE TO PLAY AGAIN THIS YEAR.

Owing to the fact that he has to undergo another operation, Inman has been compelled to cancel all his engagements in London this year.

HUNTING.

HUNTING APPOINTMENTS.

THE WARD UNION.

Date. November.	Meet.
Wednesday, 4	Dunboyne
Saturday, 7	Oldtown

THE MEATH.

To-day	Dunsany Abbey
Thursday, 5	Bengerstown
Friday, 6	Rahinstown

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KILKENNY HOUNDS.

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RUGBY.

HOSPITALS' CHARI... MATCH.

THE HOSPITALS TEAM.

For the annual Hospitals' Charity Ma... played at Lansdowne road next Satur... following team has been selected to rep... Dublin Hospitals:—

Full-back—A. P. Atkins.

Three-quarters—C. M'Caldin, M. ... Murphy-O'Connor, J. Cherry.

Seven-eight—E. W. Bingham.

Half-backs—P. Murray, C. Nunns.

Forwards—A. Courtney, M. Brosnan, J. ... J. Liddy, P. A. Smith, O. Chance, R. G...

Co. Dublin Team:—

Full—(1) D. Kennedy (Wanderers).

Three-quarters—Wings—(2) T. J. ... (University College), (3) L. McMullan (... Centres—(3) R. Cussen (Dublin Universi... B. Ganly (Monkstown).

Half-backs—Scrum—(6) M. Sugden ... University); Outside (7) E. Davy ... College).

Forwards—(8) A. M. Buchanan (Dub... sity), (9) R. S. Flood (Dublin University ... D. Gray (Old Wesley) (capt.), (11) ... (Blackrock), (12) A. H. Price (Dublin U... (13) E. Powell (Bective), (14) T. West (W... (15) J. R. Wilson (Palmerston).

IRISH FORWARDS TO PLA... SURREY.

The Surrey team to meet Kent at Bla... Thursday next will be selected from ... ing:—P. D. B. Spence (Guy's Hos... Fellowes-Smith (Guy's Hospital), C. ... (Guy's Hospital), M. A. Green (Harle... K. R. J. Saxon (—), W. H. Mills (Old ... W. H. Weston (Rosslyn Park).

Forwards from C. F. Hallaran (Unite... W. R. F. Collis (King's College Hospita... Stuart (Blackheath), S. P. Simpson (... C. J. G. Stanley (Harlequins), K. J. ... Alleynians), W. Myburgh (Guy's Hosp... Bell (Rosslyn Park), and A. S. Metho... Scottish).

Referee—Engineer-Commander S. ... R.N. Kick-off 2.45.

BELVEDERE COLLEGE ... MOUNT ST. JOSEPH'S

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For the winners, Doyle and Shiel... well at half-back, Shiels especially s... wise. Owens stood out in a middle... combined well; Barry was sound at f... forward. Carroll, Macauley and Tigh... prominent. For St. Joseph's, Hogan ... repeatedly relieved by well-judged kic... and Sweeney were best of the midd... Berney, Waring and F. Walsh most p... ward.

Dr. J. Wallace, the old internatio... helped to train the Roscrea team, ... them on in great style, and he referee... Result:—

Belvedere College—1 dropped ... tries (1...

Mount St. Joseph's—1 try (3...

Teams:—

Mount St. Joseph's—M. Moynihan ... J. Power, P. Duggan, P. Sweeney; ... T. Hogan, B. Berney, D. Sheeran, ... Hurley, P. Walsh, F. Walsh, T. B... Donovan.

Belvedere College—E. Barry; P. ... Owens, D. Riordan, D. Mageez; S. Do... C. Carroll, N. Macauley, P. Crean, ... M'Grath, W. Scott, P. M'Avoy and ...

DUN'S HOSPITAL ...

The annual general meeting will ... Residents' Room on Wednesday mor... at 10.30 a.m.

CO. WICKLOW v. PLAYERS' ... Greystones Co. Wicklow winning by...

GOLF.

HOWTH CLUB ANNUAL ...

The annual dinner of the Howth ... held at the Claremont Hotel, a... Bourke, captain, presided over a ... The toast of the club was propose... Duffy, who congratulated the co... great success of their labours, a... ticularly to the work done by Mr. ... treasurer, and Mr. Hanlon, hon. ...

The Chairman, in reply, said t... reason to congratulate themselves ... they now possessed assets worth ... with few liabilities, along with a ... house, a very sporting and much ... a first-class professional, of whom ... proud, and a spirit of fellowship ... bers, which the officers and comm... their power to encourage.

A capital musical programme ... by Messrs. P. O'Toole, J. J. Car... E. Germaine, P. J. Hanlon, M. ... Stuart, W. Keegan, O'Keeffe, ... Healy, J. Doyle. — Hope and ...

The match between the captain... teams resulted in a win for the ... by two matches, and a signet ... for as a prize amongst the winni... won by Mr. E. M. Stuart.

SUTTON.—Ladies' Branch—To-... medal, 18 holes, strokes.

FOXROCK.—Ladies' Branch—... medal, 18 holes v. bogey.

RATHFARNHAM.—Ladies' Br... October "box":—Miss Mason, 54 ... sult of medal finals, played on ... A Division—Mrs. Marsh, 102, 17, ... 10, 90; Miss Jackson, 109, ... ston—Mrs. Luce, 115, 28, 87, ... 21, 88.

ROYAL CO. DOWN.—Captain's ... was played at Newcastle on Satur... (plus 2) beating J. B. Johnstone ...

THE ISLAND.—Lady captain's ... Miss Thornhill. Final—Miss Ju... Miss Duff-Gillespie. Elvery's pri... for on November 18th, instead of ... Monthly medal—Strokes on to-mor... Arrange opponents for both comp...

CLONTARF (Ladies' Branch).—... bogey.

NEWLANDS (Ladies' Branch)... to-morrow. Class A.—18 holes ... —9 holes, strokes. Draw at 2.3... partners to play throughout the ...

CARRICKMINES.—Saturday, 31... singles (strokes) competition, lim... 18 and over, result:—Dr. R. D. ... D. Vincent Tighe (18), 77; E. ... 78; J. M. Gordon (18), 80; G. ... R. Grubb (20), 81; G. W. W...

ASSOCIATIO...

YESTERDAY'S RE...

Goals.

Chelsea .... 2 Cambr...
Rochdale .... 4 Rother...

MEETING OF THE ...

At the I.F.A. meeting last nig... President, described the recent i... of the best ever seen in Ireland ... that the expenses of the selec... Reading, Birmingham, Londo... players were £30.

It was decided to inform the ... ciation that Clones Celtic could ... managh League by affiliating w... was also reported that all clubs ... cials of the Fermanagh Counta... been suspended. The French ... asking for a game in France ne... delegates stated that France wa... and it was decided that no m... France till the French Association ...

SELECTIONS FOR BIRMINGHAM MEETING TO-DAY.

PAPER.	1.30 RACE.	2.0 RACE.	2.30 RACE.	3.0 RACE.	3.30 RACE.	4.0 RACE.
Irish Times	Pass the Mint.*	F. Darling's selected.	Bella Minna or Quick Stick.	Vaudricourt; if ab., Glen Andred.	Cragford; Chinkapin, place.	Man at Arms; if ab., Royal Offender.
Do. (Galtee More)	—	—	Bella Minna.	Broken Faith.	Cragford.	
S Life and Sportsman	Roman Fiddle.*	Cara Mia.	Quick Stick.	Shippon.	Silver Muse.	Alfred the Great.
Man on the Spot	Corcyrian.	Mountain Gift.	Dodder.*	Broken Faith.	Cragford.	Galway Lass.
Westminster Gazette	Pass the Mint.	Mountain Gift.	Bella Minna.	Broken Faith.	Cragford.	Galway Lass.
Daily Express	Pass the Mint, next best.	Moncel; if ab., Mountain Gift.	Bella Minna.	Vaudricourt; if ab., Shippon.	Cragford.*	Man at Arms; if ab., Alfred the Great
Daily Mirror	Pass the Mint.	Cara Mia.	Bella Minna.	Vaudricourt; if ab., Perfectus.	Chinkapin.	
Daily Graphic	Pass the Mint.	Mountain Gift.	Warspite.	Perfectus.	Empire.	Alfred the Great.
Star	Vindictive.	Watchful.	Bella Minna.	Vaudricourt.*	Cragford.	Man at Arms.
Evening News	Melibeus.	Hedgeside.	Bella Minna.*	Ornamentation.*	Sun God II.	Dandaloo.
Evening Standard	Verneuil II.; if ab., Roman Fiddle.	Blinnan.	Herbalist.	Vaudricourt.	The Duenna	Dandaloo.
Times	Pass the Mint.	Mountain Gift.	Bella Minna.	Perfectus.	Chinkapin.	
Daily News						

HUNTING.

HUNTING APPOINTMENTS.
THE WARD UNION.

Date.	Meet.	Hour.
November.		
Wednesday, 4	Dunboyne	1.30
Saturday, 7	Oldtown	1.30

THE MEATH.

To-day	Dunsany Abbey	11.0
Thursday, 5	Beaugenstown	11.0
Friday, 6	Rathinestown	11.0

THE KILDARE.

To-day	Johnstown Inn	11.0
Thursday, 5	Dunlavin	11.0
Saturday, 7	Courtown Gate	11.0

WARD UNION HOUNDS.

With a smaller field than usual these Hounds met at Donaghmore cross-roads on Saturday, when an exceptionally good hunt followed from the enlargement at Cornstown. The pack crossed the Milltown road into Johnstown and raced away across a "flying" country direct to Palmerstown. Here an opportunity was availed of to check the hounds as the pace was severe on the horses, they being not quite fit so early in the season. After a "breather" the line was picked up in the Northlands, and a fast pace maintained through Upper and Lower Fieldstown to the Broadmeadow River, by Fieldstown Bridge, where the stag (Flathouse) evidently refreshed himself. Leaving the water at the first sign of pursuit, the chase continued through Hall Barn-to Mount Ambrose, and by Killeck to Chapel-mid-way, where, after soiling in the Ward River, the stag sought his old retreat in Mr. Monk's farmyard, but, being baffled, found safe shelter in Mr. Seagrave's farm, at Kilsallaghan, after a good hunt of one hour and twenty minutes.

KILKENNY HOUNDS.

"There is a plentiful supply of foxes and I anticipate a very successful hunting season," Major McCalmont, Master of the Kilkenny Hounds, remarked at the opening meet yesterday. The weather was ideal for hunting and the attendance was larger than at any opening meet for several years' past.

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RUGBY.

HOSPITALS' CHARITY MATCH.

THE HOSPITALS TEAM.

For the annual Hospitals' Charity Match, to be played at Lansdowne road next Saturday, the following team has been selected to represent the Dublin Hospitals:—

Half-backs—A. P. Atkins.
Three-quarters—C. M'Caldin, M. Crowe, J. Murphy, O'Connor, J. Cherry.
Second Row—H. Burtchaell.
Half-backs—P. Murray, C. Nunns.
Forwards—A. Courtney, M. Brosnan, J. Broderick, J. Liddy, D. Smith, (5), O. Chance, R. G. Keays, Co. Dublin Team:—
Full—(1) B. Kennedy (Wanderers).
Three-quarters—Wingers—(2) T. G. Lawlor (University College), (5) L. McMullan (Blackrock); Centres—(3) R. Cussen (Dublin University), (4) J. R. Cussen (Monkstown).
Half-backs—Scrum—(6) M. Sugden (Dublin University); Outside (7) E. Davy (University College).
Forwards—(8) A. M. Buchanan (Dublin University), (9) R. S. Flood (Dublin University), (10) R. D. Gray (Old Wesley) (capt.), (11) J. Gleeson (Blackrock), (12) A. P. Pike (Dublin University), (13) E. Powell (Bective), (14) T. West (Wanderers), (15) J. R. Wilson (Palmerston).

IRISH FORWARDS TO PLAY FOR SURREY.

The Surrey team to meet Kent at Blackheath on Thursday next will be selected from the following:—P. D. B. Spence (Guy's Hospital); G. Fellowes-Smith (Guy's Hospital), L. Stern (Guy's Hospital), M. Green (Harlequins) and K. R. J. Saxon; W. W. H. Mills (Old Bluee) and W. H. Weston (Rosslyn Park).

Forwards from C. F. Harvey (United Services), W. R. F. Curtis (King's College Hospital), I. M. B. Stuart (Blackheath), S. P. Simpson (Harlequins), C. J. S. Stanley (Harlequins), K. J. Stark (Old Alleynians), W. Myburgh (Guy's Hospital), W. S. Bell (Rosslyn Park), and A. S. Methöen (London Scottish).

Referee—Engineer-Commander S. F. Coopper, R.N. Kick-off 2.45.

BELVEDERE COLLEGE (13) V. MOUNT ST. JOSEPH'S (3).

Belvedere College showed great enterprise in travelling a team to Roscrea yesterday, where they met and defeated Mount St. Joseph's by a dropped goal and 3 tries to 1 try.

The game was much more closely contested than the score suggests, and the country school, which has only recently resumed the game after a secession lasting nearly a decade, showed promising form. Skill and combination amongst the Belvedere backs was the deciding factor, but credit is due to the light Roscrea pack, who showed uncommon dash in the loose.

Belvedere held a lead of 10 points at half-time, the outstanding score being a goal coolly dropped by Shiels, out-half. In the second half Duggan scored a try for the home team, to which Riordan replied with another for Belvedere.

For the winners Doyle and Shiels hit it off well at half-back, Shiels especially showing promise. Owens stood out in a middle line which combined well; Barry was sound at full-back, and forward, Carroll, Macauley and Tighe were most prominent. For St. Joseph's, Hogan at out-half repeatedly relieved by well-judged kicks; Duggan and Sweeney were best of the middle line, and Berney, Waring and P. Walsh most prominent forward.

Dr. J. Wallace, the old international, who has helped to train the Roscrea team, has brought them on in great style, and he refereed the match. Result:—

Belvedere College—1 dropped goal and 3 tries (13 points).
Mount St. Joseph's—1 try (3 points).

Teams:—

Mount St. Joseph's—M. Moynihan; Gs Whelan, J. Power, P. Duggan, P. Sweeney; F. O'Leary, T. Hogan; R. Berney, D. Sheeran, G. Waring, G. Hurley, P. Walsh, F. Walsh, T. Rabbitt and T. Donovan.

Belvedere College—F. Barry; B. Maher, J. Owens, D. Riordan, D. Maupee; J. Doyle, J. Shiels; C. Carroll, N. Macauley, P. Crean, P. Tighe, J. M'Grath, W. Scott, P. Mooney and R. Fox.

DUN'S HOSPITAL R.F.C.

The annual general meeting will be held in the Residents' Room on Wednesday morning, 4th inst., at 10.30 a.m.

CO. WICKLOW v. PLAYERS' A.C.—Played at Lansdowne road next Saturday, the following team has been selected to represent the Dublin Hospitals:—

Co. Wicklow won by 9 points to 8.

GOLF.

HOWTH CLUB ANNUAL DINNER.

The annual dinner of the Howth Golf Club was held at the Claremont Hotel, and Mr. J. W. Bourke, captain, presided over a large company. The club was proposed by Mr. J. A. Duffy, who congratulated the committee on the great success of their labours, and referred particularly to the work done by Mr. McMahon, hon. treasurer, and Mr. Hanlon, hon. secretary.

The Chairman, in reply, said the members had reason to congratulate themselves on the fact that they now possessed assets to the amount of £5,000, without incurring a liability. The latter was completely covered by the entrance fees, and the club was now in a very flourishing condition. A spirit of fellowship among the members which the officers and committee did all in their power to encourage.

A capital musical programme was contributed by Messrs. P. O'Toole, J. J. Carey, J. M. Dingle, Gerrard, W. J. Hanlon, M. Crowley, Dudley Stuart, W. Keegan, O'Keeffe, D. Finn, A. P. Healy, J. Doyle, — Hope and — Tyrell.

The match between the captain's and secretary's game resulted in a win for the secretary's team by two matches, and a signet ring was drawn as a prize amongst the winning team and was won by Mr. F. M. Stuart.

SUTTON.—Ladies' Branch—To-morrow, monthly medal; 18 holes, strokes.

PORTMOCK.—Ladies' Branch—To-day, monthly medal, 18 holes v. bogey.

RATHFARNHAM.—Ladies' Branch—Result of October "box":—Miss Mawdon, 54, 11½, 42½. Result of medal finals, played on 30th October:—A Division—Mrs. Marsh, 102, 17, 85; Mrs. Healy, 102, 16, 86. B Division, 109, 19, 90. B Division—Miss Mc. Marsh, 109, 19, 90. B Division—Miss Mc. Marsh, 109, 19, 90. B Division—Miss Mc. Marsh

ANDREW J. KEOGH'S SALES

VERY REV. JOSEPH CANON O'KEEFFE, P.P., DECEASED.

EXCELLENT FURNITURE AND APPOINTMENTS, OIL PAINTINGS, PLATED WARE, LIBRARY OF BOOKS, FORD FIVE-SEATER SEDAN CAR, 1925 MODEL, &c.

ON VIEW TO-DAY, 10.30 TO 4.30. SALE TO-MORROW, AT NOON AT ST. MARY'S, RATHFARNHAM.

SALES AT 10 LOWER ORMOND QUAY,

ON FRIDAY, 13TH NOVEMBER, AT 1.30.

TOWN OF DUNDALK.

WELL-SECURED ANNUAL PROFIT RENT OF £55

Arising out of the plot of ground on which stands the premises known as 1 Earl street, Dundalk, held (inter alia) under lease dated 23rd April, 1801, for 992 years from 1st May, 1800, subject to the yearly rent of £55 7/8, but fully indemnified against same by other premises, and sub-leased for a term of 877 years from 1914 at the yearly rent of £85, payable half-yearly. The tenant has a large interest in his holding, and the indemnifying premises are of considerable value, rendering this profit rent absolutely secure.

Conditions of Sale from
Messrs. CARTAN O'MEARA, CUSSEN and KIERAN, Solicitors, 27 South Frederick street, Dublin.

WELL-SITUATED FULLY-LICENSED PREMISES,

110 JAMES'S STREET (ADJOINING THE POST OFFICE).

LEASE 50 YEARS. RENT £80.

(Per instructions of the Owner, who intends to devote his attention to his other Licensed Premises).

The Premises consist of spacious Shop, well appointed for the Grocery and Spirit Business; large Store at end of Shop, 50 feet by 30 feet, and Bottling Store, 30 feet by 25 feet. Electric light all through Premises.

The dwelling accommodation, to which there is a private entrance, is commodious, and consists of six large rooms, kitchen, with Frugal range, scullery, trough, h. and c.; large bathroom, h. and c., hand basin, and w.c.

There is an extensive plot at rear, with gate entrance, which adds materially to the value of the premises, measuring over 100 feet by 35 feet, and which could be easily converted into garage at very small outlay; also stable, hay loft, and coach house, recently built by the owner.

This Property, which adjoins the cooperage department of Messrs. Guinness, is in excellent condition, a considerable sum of money having been recently expended thereon. There is scope for the development of the present substantial trading, under the supervision of a resident proprietor.

May be viewed daily from 2 to 5 o'clock on production of Card to View.

Further particulars and Cards to View from AUCTIONEER.

Conditions of Sale from Messrs. ROGER GREENE and SON, Solicitors, 11 Wellington quay.

SUBURBAN LICENSED PROPERTY,

283 AND 285 RICHMOND ROAD, FAIRVIEW.

LEASE 200 YEARS FROM 1895. HEAD RENT £50. P.L.V. £45.

(By direction of Mr. L. F. Betts, who intends devoting his attention to his dairy farm).

An attractive well-built Property, having separate entrance to well appointed and spacious Spirit Bar and Bar Parlour; yard, with bottling and draught beer store and invatory accommodation; also an extensive garden. The residential portion has hall door entrance, and comprises drawingroom, dining-room, three bedrooms, bathroom, with hand basin (h. and c. supply), kitchen, and two other apartments.

This is an old-established premises, well situated in a locality which has undergone many improvements, and is the only ordinary licensed house on Richmond road.

Conditions of Sale from Messrs. HETTLE, O'BRADAIGH and PROUD, Solicitors, 22 Eustace street.

ANDREW J. KEOGH, AUCTIONEER, 10 LOWER ORMOND QUAY.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.'S SALES.

SALE TO-DAY (TUESDAY), AT 2 P.M., At 110 GRAFTON STREET,

MYTILENE, AILESBURY ROAD.

One of the finest Residences in the Pembroke Township, standing detached on about 2 acres of ground. Frontage to Ailesbury road about 200 feet, depth from front to rear about 400 feet. House built and finished regardless of expense, and contains basement. Excellent out-offices in enclosed yard. The grounds have been well laid-out and planted with sheltering trees and flowering shrubs. The entire forms a choice residence, leaving little to be desired, either in position, condition or surroundings.

Held direct from the Earl of Pembroke for 150 years, subject to the nominal ground rent of £4 16/- per annum. Immediate possession to purchaser.

Messrs. W. R. MEREDITH and SON, Solicitors, 39 Molesworth street.

70 PALMERSTON ROAD, RATHMINES.

Semi-detached House, in perfect condition, with possession to purchaser. Contains: 2 reception rooms, 3 bedrooms, maid's room, kitchen, with close range; New World cooker, auxiliary gas heater, pantry sink and geyser, store-room, with shelves; 2 w.c.'s, porcelain bath, with hot and cold supply; garden, 2 greenhouses, room for garage; laneway at rear. Held for 800 years, subject to £5 per annum.

Messrs. JAS. H. McLOUGHLIN and SON, Solicitors, 18 College Green.

21 DRUMCONDRA PARK, DRUMCONDRA.

Clear Possession. Modern House, containing sittingroom, 3 bedrooms, dininggroom, bathroom; with hot and cold wash-hand basin, heated linen press; w.c. all rooms recently decorated. One minute's walk from tram; fare 1d. to Pillar. Lease 120 years unexpired. Head rent, £4 per annum.

J. J. MACKENZIE, Solicitor, 113 Stephen's Green.

SALE TO-DAY (TUESDAY), 33 WATERLOO PLACE.

FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.

ON VIEW FROM 10 a.m. SALE 12 O'CLOCK.

SALE THURSDAY NEXT, 5TH NOVEMBER. 29 WALTHAM TERRACE, BLACKROCK.

FURNITURE AND EFFECTS. VIEW MORNING OF SALE.

DELIVERY AFTER SALE.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO., AUCTIONEERS, 110 GRAFTON STREET.

JAMES J. SCANNELL'S AUCTIONS.

TO-MORROW (WEDNESDAY), NOVEMBER 4, AT 4 BACHELOR'S WALK,

SALE OF VERY EXTENSIVE COLLECTION OF HIGH-CLASS FURNITURE, PIANOS, CARPETS, &c., &c.

Comprising:—French Ormolu-mounted Drawingroom Cabinet, with Overmantel to match; 9-Piece Drawingroom Suite, upholstered in silk, with set of loose covers; Antique Bureau, with shaped inside fittings; six Antique Sheraton Chairs, covered in tapestry; 5ft. Cylinder-top Writing Desk, two 3ft. Curved Mahogany Break-front Wardrobes; Mahogany Dressing Chest; 4ft. Mahogany Break-front Bookcase, 5ft. Carved Walnut Drawingroom Cabinet, two 6ft. Mahogany Mirror-back Sideboards, two Mahogany Pedestal Sideboards; Turkey Carpet, 24ft. x 12ft., practically new; Donegal Carpet, 16 x 12; eight Seamless Axminster Carpets, sizes 12 x 10, 12 x 10.6, and 13.6 x 12; 3ft. Fitted Axminster and Brussels Stair Carpet, 22½ inches wide; 4ft. Mahogany Bedroom Suite, 5ft. Carved Oak Bedroom Suite, 4ft. Walnut Bedroom Suite, with robex mirrors to Dressing Chest; three Satin Walnut Bedroom Suites, 4ft. Walnut and Burr Bedroom Suite, three Mahogany Chests Drawers, two Mahogany Telescope Dining Tables, Case of Cutlery, Breakfast Dish; handsome Persian Rug, 7-Piece Dininguroom Suite, in American leather; several Oil Paintings, Etchings, and Coloured Prints; French Marqueterie Drawingroom Writing Desk, Chippendale Gilt Overmantel, Walnut, Oak, and Mahogany Overmantels; Oak and Walnut Hall Stands, 10ft. and 8ft. Mahogany Dining Tables, eight Mahogany Centre Tables, several Rooms of Linoleum, 60 Mahogany Dininguroom Chairs, upholstered in Morocco, American leather, and hair rearing; three Settees and six Arm Chairs, upholstered in cord, suit waterrooms; Billiard Seat, upholstered in saddlebags; Boudoir Grand Piano, by Pigott; Upright Pianos by Collard and Collard and Pigott; handsome Pierced-front Fender, Brass Curbs and Fire Irons; Couches and Easy Chairs; Stained Wardrobes, Dressing Chests, and Marble-top Washstands; Kitchen Furniture and Utensils; Ford Motor Car, touring, in perfect order, and a large quantity of Miscellaneous Household Requisites.

SALE AT 1 O'CLOCK. ON VIEW TO-DAY.

BANBRIDGE, CO. DOWN.

ESTATE OF JAMES SCOTT, DECEASED.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT EXECUTORS' SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION, AS A GOING CONCERN, OF OLD-ESTABLISHED WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

GROCERY AND PROVISION BUSINESS AND EXTENSIVE PREMISES,

HELD FOR EVER FREE OF RENT.

WE have been instructed by the Executors of the above TO SELL BY AUCTION, ON THE PREMISES,

ON TUESDAY, 10TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1925, AT THE HOUR OF TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

ALL THOSE EXTENSIVE PREMISES, situate on the east side of BRIDGE STREET, BANBRIDGE, with the large Shop and Dwellinghouse, store, Stables, Lofts, Yards, Garden, etc., held under a grant for ever free of all rent, with the good-will of the Grocery and Provision Business carried on therein for over fifty years.

The Premises, situate on the main road from Belfast to Dublin, in the Main street and best business part of the town, are modern, three storey, very substantially built, and contain:—Large up-to-date shop, drawing, dining and sitting rooms, three bedrooms, two attics, bathroom, w.c., servants' room, kitchen, scullery separate hall door; large yard, with cartway entrance from Main street, stabling for eleven horses, coal-house, extensive lofts and stores, with large enclosed yards, and a flower and vegetable garden planted with fruit trees. Electric light has been recently installed throughout the entire Premises.

This well-known business, extensively and profitably carried on for over half a century, offers a rare opportunity to intending purchasers.

The Stock-in-Trade, Horses, Vans etc., will be taken at a valuation.

Terms—One-fourth of the purchase price at time of Sale; balance on completion.

For further particulars as to Title and permission to view, etc., apply to

FRYAR and GORDON, Solicitors, Banbridge and Dromore.

R. SHOOTER, AUCTIONEER, BANBRIDGE.

SALE THIS DAY.

OLD SILVER AND BIJOUTERIE.

BENNETT and SON, LIMITED, BEG TO ANNOUNCE THAT THEY WILL SELL BY AUCTION, with the Consent of THE TRUSTEES OF HIS GRACE THE DUKE OF LEINSTER,

AT THEIR GALLERIES, 6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY, DUBLIN, ON THIS DAY (TUESDAY), NOVEMBER 3RD, 1925,

ABOUT 6,000 OUNCES OF OLD IRISH AND ENGLISH PLATE, TOGETHER WITH

A COLLECTION OF FRENCH GOLD AND JEWELLED BOXES, AND OTHER BIJOUTERIE

REMOVED FROM CARTON, CO. KILDARE, AS ALREADY FULLY ADVERTISED.

Sale commences with the Silver at 1 o'clock precisely. Purchasers pay 5 per cent. Auction Fees.

BENNETT & SON, LIMITED, M.I.A.A., AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, 6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY, DUBLIN.

DESIRABLE SEMI-DETACHED RESIDENCE, WITH POSSESSION,

No. 9 SANDYMOUNT AVENUE, BALLSBRIDGE.

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION,

AT 8 PARLIAMENT STREET,

ON WEDNESDAY, 11TH NOVEMBER 1925, AT 1.30, O'CLOCK.

The above Residence, held under lease for 250 years, from the 30th November, 1863, subject to the yearly rent of £4 3s. 0d. Poor Law Valuation £22.

Contains—Drawingroom, dininguroom, 3 bedrooms, maid's room, bathroom (h. and c.), and w.c.; kitchen, scullery, pantry; good garden; tool house, &c., and plot in front. Side entrance.

ON VIEW EACH DAY, FROM 12 TO 3 O'CLOCK.

Conditions of Sale from Messrs. MICHAEL S. BERGIN and CO., Solicitors, 56 Parnell Square.

Cards to view from

P. J. BYRNE, AUCTIONEER, 8 PARLIAMENT STREET.

SALE TO-DAY & TO-MORROW, AT 12 NOON DAILY.

GAINSBORO' HOUSE SALEROOMS.

EXCEPTIONALLY FINE COLLECTION OF ANTIQUE AND MODERN HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND APPOINTMENTS,

THE PROPERTY OF MISS F. M. ADAIR, AND FOR OTHER ACCOUNTS.

WM. MONTGOMERY & SON WILL SELL, BY PUBLIC AUCTION, ON THE PREMISES, 24 SUFFOLK STREET, ON THE DATES MENTIONED, THE FOLLOWING:—BOUDOIR GRAND PIANO, BY COLLARD AND COLLARD; 30-LIDDE CABINET GRAMOPHONE AND ANOTHER, BOTH IN MAHOGANY CASES; FINE GRANDFATHER CLOCK, BRASS DIAL, 10 REPEATING CASE; SET (4 O 2) DOWN CHIPPENDALE-STYLE MAHOGANY CHAIRS, OLD IRISH CHIPPENDALE TABLE, 20" x 20"; Set of 12 Mahogany Dining Chairs, in Velvet; Sheraton Knee-hole and Pedestal Writing Tables, DRAWINGROOM SUITE, IN TAPESTRY (COMPRISING 1W UNEXCEPTIONAL PAIR DIVAN AND 4 SMALL CHAIRS); Walnut and Mahogany Dining Tables, Set of 9 Georgian Mahogany Chairs, Pair Buhl China Cabinets, CHIPPENDALE MIRROR (CARVED AND GILT WOOD FRAME), Venetian Mirror, and Miscellaneous Property, as already Fully Advertised. Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Fees.

WM. MONTGOMERY & SON, M.I.A.A., AUCTIONEERS & VALUERS, GAINSBORO' HOUSE, 24 SUFFOLK STREET, DUBLIN.

HOUSES AN. LANDS.

DOCKRELL LIMITED, M.I.A.A.

AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS,

38 & 39 STH. GT. GEORGE'S ST.

EXPERIENCED VALUERS FOR PROBATE, ACQUISITION OF PROPERTY, LAND VALUATION, DIVISION OF PROPERTY, SALES AND LETTINGS.

To Heads of Nursing Homes, &c.—FOR SALE, a Block of two spacious Residences, fully equipped as Highclere Nursing Home. Can be Sold with or without equipment. Apply to Dockrell Limited, South Great George's street.

Palmerston Park—AN ATTRACTIVE NON-BASEMENT HOUSE FOR SALE at reduced price, containing 3 reception, 5 bedrooms, maid's room, h. and c. bath, garden, side entrance; rent, £65; lease, 900 years; price, £1,800. Apply Dockrell Limited, South Great George's street.

Monkstown—FOR SALE, PRICE £1,650—A very attractive House, in the best position in Monkstown, overlooking beautiful gardens. The House is double-fronted, containing 3 sittingrooms, 4 bedrooms, 2 maids' rooms, hot and cold bath, pantries, garden and motor house. There are splendid views of sea and Dublin Mountains; low head rent; long lease. Seen on Order to View from Dockrell Ltd., South Great George's street.

DOCKRELL LIMITED, 38 & 39 STH. GT. GEORGE'S ST.

HOUSES AND LANDS.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO., 110 GRAFTON STREET.

Clontarf, Castle Avenue—PRICE, £1,050. A House choicely decorated and fitted with electric light; contains two sittingrooms, four bedrooms, bathroom, etc. Apply James H. North and Co., 110 Grafton street.

Chapelizod—PRICE, £600. Dwellinghouse and garden, subject to only 1/- per annum. Possession to purchaser. Apply James H. North and Co., 110 Grafton street.

Clonskeagh—VERY ATTRACTIVE HOUSE, held for over free of rent; has exceptionally good garden, greenhouse, and garage; electric light and gas laid on. Price, £2,700.—James H. North and Co.

Kildare—FOR THE HUNTING SEASON. To be Let, an exceptionally attractive Residence near Sallins; has fine garden, and is well found and appointed in every respect. Apply James H. North, 110 Grafton street.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO., 110 GRAFTON STREET.

FOR SALE, FREE OF RENT,

SUBSTANTIALLY BUILT DWELLINGHOUSE, in Templepatrick, Co. Antrim, containing 2 reception rooms, 5 bedrooms, kitchen, scullery, etc., enclosed yard, office houses. If desired, about two acres of land can be had with house.

Two minutes' walk to railway station. Bus service also convenient.

Apply to Messrs. JOHN COURTNEY and CO., ACCOUNTANTS, 61 ROYAL AVENUE, BELFAST.

AUCTIONS.

SALE THIS DAY, 12 O'CLOCK—FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.

GAELS' HOTEL, 33 LOWER O'CONNELL STREET.

WE have been favoured with Instructions to SELL BY AUCTION, on the Premises, on the above date, the Entire Furniture and Appointments, comprising briefly—Chesterfield Bed Sofas, Divan and Easy Chairs, Sheraton Jardiniere Stands, Inlaid Mahogany Occasional Tables, Club Fenders, Brass Fire Suites, Oval Gilt Mirrors, Oil Paintings, Cane Chairs, Mahogany Escretoire, Bronze Clock Suites, Inlaid Mahogany and Satin Walnut Bedroom Suites, Combined Toilet Table, Bentwood Chairs; large quantity of new Bed Linen and Blankets, Eider Down Quilts; Axminster Carpets and Stair Carpeting, Brass Angle Stair Rods, Table Glass and China; new Enamel Bath and Geyser, I. and G. Partition Sheeting, Doors and Frames, and Glazed Office Enclosure. Terms—Cash and 5 per cent. Fees.

BATTERSBY & CO., AUCTIONEERS, 39 WESTMORELAND STREET, DUBLIN.

SALE TO-DAY AT 12 O'CLOCK, 123 LOWER BAGGOT STREET.

HALL FLAT, No. 1 ONLY.

TO-DAY (TUESDAY), 3rd NOVEMBER.

AUCTION SALE of ALMOST NEW MODERN FURNITURE, PIANO and GRAMAPHONE, etc., of best Quality, and in New Condition, comprising briefly—Fine Upright Bishop Piano, iron frame, ebon. case; Cabinet Gramophone and Records; Inlaid Slope Front Mah. Secretary of Drawers, Brass Indian Coffee and Occasional Tables, Chesterfield Couch and Pair Down Easy Chairs, Jacobean Oak Mirror-back Sideboard, 2 Gate Leg Dinner Tables and 4 Dining Chairs and 2 Carvers; Oak Hall Table, Chairs, and Mirror; Dinner Ware, Electric Standard Lamp, Vases, Copper Fender, Coal Box, Dogs and Green; Various Axminster and Indian Rugs, Pictures, Easy and Wicker Chairs, Deck Chair, Ottoman Couch, 2 White Enamel Bedroom Suites, with Double and Single Bedsteads to match; Oak Duchess Toilet Tables and Bedsteads, Spring and Hair Mattresses, Eiderdowns and Bedding, 2 Skeleton Wardrobes, Toilet Ware, Lace and other Curtains, Kitchen Dresser and Utensils, Mat Safe, Lawn Mower, etc. On View This Morning, 10 till 12. Sale To-day (Tuesday), 3rd November, at 12 o'clock. Delivery immediately after Sale. Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Auction Fees.

JAMES ADAM & SONS, Auctioneers and Appraisers, 17 MERRION ROW and 19 STEPHEN'S GREEN.

STORE CATTLE AUCTION

EVERY THURSDAY. ENTRIES INVITED.

A DRAFT of 64 FORWARD STORE BULLOCKS, from the Right Hon. the Earl of Iveagh's Farms in Co. Galway, and 4 CHOICE SPRINGING HEIFERS, will be included in next Thursday's Sale.

GANLY, SONS & CO. USHER'S QUAY, DUBLIN.

TWO LARGE SECOND-HAND MARBLE MANTELPIECES

TO BE SOLD FOR a Customer AT BARGAIN PRICES.

MAGUIRE & GATCHELL, LTD., DAWSON STREET, DUBLIN.

DOCKRELL LIMITED, M.I.A.A.

FURNITURE AUCTION, THURSDAY NEXT, 5th NOVEMBER.

18 EMORVILLE AVENUE, S.C. ROAD.

THE House having been Sold, we are instructed to Sell the Entire Contents, including:—Carved Mahogany Enclosed 6ft. Sideboard, with mirror back; Enclosed Mah. Bookcase, with press under; 9-Piece Drawingroom Suite, in stamped velvet; do. Dininguroom Suite, in leather cloth; Mahogany Dininguroom Table, with screw expanding frame; also small do., Inlaid Walnut Oval Table, heavy Mahogany-framed overmantel, Mirror, Walnut, framed do., Whatnot, Brussels Carpet; Brass-mounted Curb and Brasses, Whatnot; Engravings, Axminster Stair Carpet, Mahogany Cabinet, Mahogany Chest of Drawers, Stained Wardrobe, Double and Single Beds and Bedding, Mahogany Washstand, Enamel and Oak Hall Stand, Pair Mahogany Hall Chairs, Pair French Vases, Table Glass and China, Mangle, Dresser, and Kitchen Furniture and Utensils; Linoleums. On View on Morning of Sale from 10 o'clock. The Auction will commence at 12 o'clock.

DOCKRELL LIMITED, M.I.A.A. Auctioneers and Valuers, SOUTH GREAT GEORGE'S STREET, DUBLIN.

KINSELLA & SONS (BRAY) SALES.

ON THURSDAY NEXT, NOVEMBER 5th, At "THE AUCTION MART," 25 FLORENCE ROAD, SALE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, Also 2 SEATER MOTOR CAR, PONY, VAN and HARNESS, WIRELESS SET, INCUBATOR, Etc.

ON THURSDAY, 12th NOVEMBER, Nice Compact House, No. 6 LORETTO TERRACE, By Auction, on the Premises.

Seven rooms. Lease 800 years. Rent £4 per annum.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE same date. Fuller particulars later.

GEOGHEGAN LIMITED.

Sale of Richard Geoghegan's Stock Goes On.

Big Lots of Shirts, Pyjamas and Underwear.

FLANNEL SHIRTS—Neat stripes on white ground and self colours, about 20 dozen. Sizes 1 to 7. A chance for buyers who can pick the best. All one price - 12/6

VIYELLA FLANNEL SHIRTS—A choice selection of very fine shirts. Sizes 1 to 8. 7 dozen only. One Lot 14/6

MEN'S PYJAMA SUITS—Wool and cotton mixtures, garments that wash and wear well. 5 dozen. One price 16/6

MEN'S PYJAMA SUITS—A big lot of high-grade, soft finish flannel pyjamas, all sizes. Wonderful value. One price - - - - - 19/6

MEN'S SOFT DRESS SHIRTS—Remains being cleared. Sizes 4, 5, 6, 7 only - - - - 2 for 10/-

MEN'S WHITE SWEATERS—About 4 dozen in two lots - - - - - 5/- and 10/-

MEN'S PULLOVERS—Some really beautiful garments, selected from the world's finest manufacture, including Irish-hand knitted Fair Isle designs. The whole stock—about 40 dozen—made up in two lots - 16/6 and 22/6

Some of these Pullovers retailed at 63/-

KNITTED TIES—Remains of last week's lot of real silk knitted ties at 2/6; being cleared now 2 for - 3/-

MEN'S OVERCOATS—Still a good selection remains of the 400 light, medium and heavy winter overcoats offered at 70/-. This lot is much appreciated.

MEN'S RAINCOATS—Gaberdines, Egyptians, trench coats, &c., retailing at 4½ and 5 guineas. One price 60/-

Men's Suits, Leather Overcoats, Golf Hose, Gloves and Collars, held over until Next Week

GEOGHEGAN LTD., 39 NASSAU STREET.

W. J. KELLY, Managing Director.

Evening gown in eau-de-nil georgette with velvet rosettes and jumper suit in patterned velvet.

Slyne & Co. Ltd.

71 Grafton Street, Dublin.

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FOR EVERY NEW AND BECOMING FASHION

Varied as are the desires of Woman in matters of Dress, they can one and all be completely gratified at SWITZERS—and at little cost. If a personal visit is not possible, Patrons may order by Post with absolute confidence. SWITZERS beautifully-illustrated Fashion Book will be sent Post Free on request.

100. Reliable WATERPROOF COAT in Leatherette with soft Bouverteen back. Guaranteed not to crack. In Green, Brown, Saxe, Red, Fawn, and Navy. Special value. Price £2 9/6

Delightful Little WOOLLEN TWO-PIECE COSTUME in Tan, Blue and other shades. 7½ GNS.

A very attractive COAT FROCK of Navy Serge, with Godet Skirt. Collar and Frechue are of Crepe-de-Chine £3 19/6

3382. MODERATELY PRICED COAT with new flared effect, half lined Silk, trimmed Fur collar, in shades of Blue, Green, Brown, and Black. Price 6½ GNS.

R. 701. FINE QUALITY CASHMERE WRAP with mottled design. Colours: Grey, Red, Covert, Saxe, Putty and Brown. Price 15/6 each.

Other Cashmere Scarves at 10/6 and 12/6.

3065. DAINTY EVENING WRAP in Moiré Silk, reversible, in all smart pastel shades. Price ..... 5 GNS.

R. 3 FANCY WOOL CARDIGAN COAT with Pockets. In Putty, Tan, Mastic, Red, and Black/White. Price 12/11

No. 2. TAN AND GREY DERRIKIN GLOVE, fancy gauntlet and tassel to pull on. Per pair 14/11. Also stocked in Tan Cape. Per pair 15/11

No. 4. A very practical VELOUR HAT which can be adapted to any shape. Suitable for girl or matron. Price 45/9

No. 6. LONG GAUNTLET NATURAL GOAT GLOVES, leather palms, fleece lined. Per pair 26/9

No. 3. Very attractive FUR FELT MAT, trimmed with strappings of Felt. In a wide range of colours. Price 29/6

No. 4. HEAVY PIQUE SUEDE GLOVES with strap at wrists. Shades: Tan, Beaver, Grey, and Black. Per pair 10/6

SWITZER & CO., LTD. GRAFTON STREET, DUBLIN

APARTMENTS TO LET CONTINUED.

APARTMENTS, Furnished; suit ladies, gentlemen, or married couple; central.—126 Cabra Park.

AT 20 Earlsfort terrace—Beautifully Furnished Room, central, exclusive. 'Phone, Dublin 875. 2 E

A BED Sittingroom, front hall door; suit gentleman dining with C.C.—No. 5 Northumberland road.

BED Sittingroom, well Furnished; Attendance.—5 St. Mary's road, Ballsbridge. 29 B

BALLSBRIDGE—Comfortable Bedrooms and Sitting room, Partial Board.—142 Pembroke road, Ballsbridge. 2 E

CONVENIENT Baggot street—Drawingroom Flat (Unfurnished, 30/- weekly.—A 735, this office. 30 C

COMPACT Furnished Flat, all requirements, Monkstown; 25/- weekly.—A 689, this office. 30 C

COMFORTABLY Furnished Room, in nice house, Terenure, with attendance (board optional, hot bath; no other lodgers); maid kept.—A 759, this office. 31 B

DRAWINGROOM and Bedroom, Unfurnished, water on flat.—148, Irish Times Branch Office, Ranelagh.

ELDERLY lady or gentleman—Comfortable House offered, retired nurse's semi-detached modern house; good cooking; garden; Terenure.—A 586, this office. 28 B

FURNISHED self contained Flat; sitting, two bedrooms, bath, kitchenette.—179 Botanic road. Seen from 4 to 6 o'clock.

FURNISHED Bedroom and Sittingroom, bathroom; 30/—90 Strand road, Sandymount. 29 B

FURNISHED quaint—bed Sittingrooms, well Furnished; Attendance; Restaurant. Telephone 3164. A 679, this office. 30 C

FURNISHED, Let Ranelagh, two Rooms, one large, front.—A 695, this office. 30 C

FURNISHED Hall Flat to Let, 3 months, Fitzwilliam square; suit gentleman only self contained; 4 rooms, bath, kitchenette, maid's room.—A 764, this office. 31 D

FURNISHED Bedroom and Sittingroom to Let; no other boarders; 17/6 weekly (near Ailesbury road).—A 857, this office. 2 E

FLAT, Unfurnished or Partially Furnished, to Let; 3 rooms; strand road, Sandymount.—A 867, this office. 2 E

FURNISHED Flat or Half House, Ballsbridge; five minutes from train and tram. Address "Z 404, Flat," this office. 2 E

FLATS, Unfurnished, three and five apartments; bathroom, electric light.—55 Lower Baggot street. 2 E

FRONT Room, Furnished, suit one or two business ladies or elderly couple; private house; I.C.; moderate; convenient to Park.—A 889, this office. 2 E

FLAT, Furnished, Upper Ely place, overlooking gardens; electric light, telephone; very central; suit business girls or married couple.—A 894, this office. 2 C

FURNISHED Flat, with gas cooker and kitchenette, on tram line; 25/- weekly.—3 Brighton terrace, Sandycove. 2 E

FLATS, Unfurnished; suit two: Houses and Flats Wanted.—Offices, 64 Blessington street. 2 E

HALL, Flat, Furnished, bedroom, sittingroom, kitchenette, gas stove, exclusive bath, garage.—2 Upper Leeson street. 30 C

HIGH class Board Residence; comfortable; moderate. 31 B

LADY, having charming refined home, would take in two young Ladies as Paying Guests. Dublin suburb; moderate.—A 679, this office. 29 B

LARGE front combined Room, suit two gentlemen; Partial Board; tram line, Ranelagh.—A 771, this office. 31 B

LARGE Bedroom, Sittingroom, and Kitchenette to Let, excellently Furnished and comfortable; sandymount; moderate.—A 865, this office. 2 A

ONE or two business Men, to Share Flat; moderate. 57 Lower Beechwood avenue, Ranelagh. 29 B

ONE large Bedroom (or two), Sittingroom, partly Furnished, convenient to tram; good locality, Rathmines; electric light and gas cooker, full use of kitchen, bath and garden; refined people; 25/- weekly.—R Q 95, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines.

RATHGAR—Furnished Bedroom, Sittingroom, use of kitchen cooker, bath; suit two ladies or married couple; terms, £1 1s weekly.—A 903, this office.

RATHMINES, 134 Leinster road—Large Front Combined Room; hot bath; dining out. 2 C

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AN old Lady (active), with some means, requires a little care, wishes a comfortable Home, with a Protestant family; South side preferred.—A 853, this office.

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